

# CAL SELLS U. S. BUDGET AT FOUR BILLION

## MELLON FINDS SOUND TRADE BASIS IN U. S. NORTHWEST U. S. SECTION SWEEPED BY BLIZZARD 645 MILLION FOR DEFENSE BIGGEST ITEM

### Secretary of Treasury Reports Recession During Last Twelve Months

### SEES GAIN FOR FARMER Public Debt Absorbed 51.1 Per Cent of Total National Expenditures

Washington—(AP)—Although business showed a recession during the last year it now is approaching a normal expectancy with sound underlying fundamentals, Secretary Mellon said Wednesday in his annual report to congress.

Under the heading of "the present situation of business," the treasury secretary asserted that business activity began in the spring months of this year to fall below the totals of last year. As a result of this recession, he said, business is "now being conducted on a basis that conforms more nearly to the normal expectancy as judged from the regular rate of growth of the country than has prevailed on the average for some years."

"While business is not as active as in most of 1926, it can hardly be said to be subnormal and the underlying fundamentals appear to be sound," he added. "Another indication of healthy business conditions is the recent recovery in commodity prices due in the main to the rise in agricultural prices."

Credit conditions were described as sound, as indicated by the handling of the peak load of crop financing without strain and with interest rates easing in the middle of October.

Explaining that the treasury accumulated vast amounts of information on business and finance, Secretary Mellon said a survey of this data suggested the following conclusions as to business in the past year:

**LISTS CONCLUSIONS:**

"A large volume of business was done satisfactorily with declining commodity prices—an unusual combination of circumstances."

"The volume of new construction remained large, as engineering, industrial and public works projects were in sufficient volume practically to offset a decline in construction of dwellings."

"High wages due to increased average productivity per worker and lower living costs, due to declining prices, resulted in a sustained purchasing power for a large variety of consumers' commodities."

"Business was free from the accumulation of excessive inventories, advance ordering subject to cancellations and unreasonable speculation in commodities, and a spirit of caution prevailed generally among business men."

"Automobile production continued at a pace somewhat reduced from the year before, and dangers of a serious slump have been lessened as demands for replacements are now sufficient to absorb about half of the year's output."

"Competition became more intense and the largest profits were made by those concerns capable of introducing economies or capturing the market by adaptation of their products to the demand."

**POWER MONEY RAISES**

"Charges for the use of fixed capital were reduced both on industrial and government securities and on farm loans."

"Banks in the United States increased their loans and investments about \$2,000,000,000 at the same time that they reduced somewhat their dependence upon the federal reserve system, due mainly to gold imports and a decline in requirements for currency."

Although internal revenue collections showed an increase of only \$31,774,965 during the last fiscal year over the previous 12 months, Secretary Mellon declared that a "closer analysis of the collection shows more definitely that tax changes were responsible for the failure of such receipts to increase." Receipts from internal revenue totaled, \$2,569,414,542 while income from customs and other miscellaneous sources amounted to \$1,258,550,000 or an increase of \$124,562,785 over the previous year.

The \$3,827,964,542 total expenditures of the government for the last fiscal year, the report said, represented a decrease of \$150,000,000 over the previous year. Receipts totaled \$4,123,334,441, which left a surplus of \$285,369,899. Of this margin \$411,754,558 was applied to retirement of the public debt which was \$258,000,000 more than was applied to the debt the previous year. This left a total debt at the close of the fiscal year last June 30 of \$18,510,174,268.49 over normal retirements of \$919,555,844.78 had been effected.

**PUBLIC DEBT PAYMENT**

In an analysis of the distribution of expenditures, the report showed that payments to the public debt in the last fiscal year absorbed 51.1 per cent of the total, military functions 21.5 per cent and ordinary civil functions 17.1. Emphasizing that the cost of past wars occupies an important place in government finance, the secretary estimated that the world war cost the United States \$25,119,522,144.

### Sharp Drop in Temperature Predicted for Wednesday Night and Thursday

A heavy snow storm riding in on a 30-mile gale from the northwest initiated Appleton and the state to winter weather Wednesday morning delaying interurban cars in this section and seriously hindering automobile traffic. Buses were reported running on schedule time but interurbans were from five to fifteen minutes late. Trains have been able to maintain their schedules.

The storm started early Tuesday evening with a steady snowfall, the wind coming up late in the night. With the heavy wind the snow started to drift and brought motor driven vehicles. According to weather reports the storm will continue through Wednesday night and probably Thursday. A cold wave will arrive in this section Wednesday night and Thursday will be much colder. It was estimated that six inches of snow had fallen from Tuesday night to Wednesday noon. The lowest temperature reported Tuesday night was 30 degrees and had dropped to 23 degrees at noon Wednesday.

**AWAIT STORM**

Southern Wisconsin awaited arrival of the storm late Wednesday and the sharp drop in temperature which is following. Temperatures in the state early Wednesday morning ranged from 8 degrees below zero in the northwestern part of the state to 40 above at Milwaukee where rain was falling. The range is the greatest ever recorded at this time of the year according to the federal weather bureau in Milwaukee.

Sub-zero temperatures were reported in the Dakotas, Montana, Minnesota and northern Wisconsin. Havre, Mont., reported 32 below; Hibbing, Minn., and Minot, N. D., 20 below and northwest Wisconsin counties 8 below.

While no loss of life attributable to the weather has been reported in the United States, several are said to have perished in the Canadian province of Alberta.

Rainfall general over the lower lakes states Wednesday will become snow by nightfall, the weather bureau predicted, with temperatures near zero forecast for Illinois, Indiana, Michigan and central and southern Wisconsin.

Fear for the milk supply of the twin cities because of the high drafts was expressed by some of the milk company managers.

Ashland, in Wisconsin, reported train service interrupted by all highways blocked. Chippewa Falls, Wis., reported trains from one to three hours late and vehicular traffic almost suspended. In Nebraska, communication had not been seriously hampered but the snow was still piling up today as the blizzard continued. Green Bay, Wis., reported its harbor covered with five inches of ice.

### HOLD FUNERAL RITES FOR WINNEBAGO-CO OFFICIAL

Oshkosh—(AP)—Funeral services for Carroll H. Larabee, 59, treasurer for 15 years of Winnebago-co were held Tuesday. Mr. Larabee died Saturday.

### SEYMOUR WOMAN IS BURNED TO DEATH IN IOWA ACCIDENT

Clinton, Iowa—(AP)—Mrs. J. E. Daniels, 54, of Seymour, Wis., was burned to death Tuesday when caught beneath the burning wreckage of an automobile, following the collision of the car driven by her husband and another piloted by Ed Voelpel of Clinton, west of here. Daniels was injured, and was severely burned when he vainly tried to rescue his wife from beneath the flaming car. Voelpel, witnesses said, crashed into Daniels' car, hurling it down an embankment.

Voelpel and Mrs. Viola Garber of Clinton, his companion, who were not hurt, were placed in jail here Tuesday night. According to police manslaughter charges were to be filed against them Wednesday.

### RUMANIA BORDER IS SCENE OF DISORDER

Budapest, Hungary—(AP)—Two days of disorder, during which three men were stabbed to death, many persons injured and several buildings destroyed, have occurred in the town of Nagyváradi, Rumania, near the Rumanian-Hungarian border, reports from the frontier state.

The demonstrations were at first directed against the Jews and then against the Magyars. Nagyváradi formerly belonged to Hungary but was annexed to Rumania.

A man named Somfied, suspected of spying on the proceedings of the congress, was stabbed to death, as were Mr. Vajklovicz, owner of the Hotel du Parc, which was attacked by students, and an unnamed Hungarian actor. Many persons are reported to have been seriously injured.

The officers of two Hungarian newspapers, a printing plant, the offices of and Catholic Union society and the residence of chief Rabbi Leopold Keeskemeti were destroyed. The police were helpless. Gendarmes and cavalry reinforced them and order was restored.

The citizens, however, are said to be afraid to leave their homes and both police and soldiers are reported to be patrolling the deserted streets. Tramway services have ceased. All shops are closed. Many persons are also reported to have been roughly handled in demonstrations at Arad, Transylvania.

### More Principles Than Platforms In Message

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Washington—President Coolidge stated principles rather than detailed programs in his message to congress.

Here and there are innuendoes about propaganda from those who want to take the taxes too sharply and here and there little remarks which will have a significance when congress takes up the various subjects in detail.

On the subject of "constructive economy" the president backs up Secretary Mellon and differs again with the viewpoint expressed by the Chamber of Commerce of the United States. He points to the big reduction in interest payments on public debt through the building up of surpluses and says it is better not to reverse the present rates at all than to run the risk of a deficit.

To the nations of the world, the president frankly expresses his disappointment that limitation of naval armament wasn't possible and he paves the way for a bigger navy on the part of the United States. This will be interpreted as a challenge to the friends of disarmament who know that the British government must be persuaded to change its view of world competition in navies to be prevented.

On merchant marine, a government of course has in the Mississippi the disposition of Alaska, the Boulder dam and the water power projects generally, the president declares unequivocally for private operation and against government ownership schemes. With respect to shipping he says "public operation is not a success." With respect to public utilities, he adds: "Water supply is a government problem but every other possibility should be exhausted before the federal government becomes engaged in the power business."

Such subjects as the protective tariff, railroad consolidation, the Philippines and agriculture are treated along the same lines as previous utterances. He holds out no encouragement to the McNary-Hauser bill supporters but tends to support the plan of Secretary Lansing of the department of agriculture for the extension of financial aid to marketing corporations engaged in handling the surplus of important commodities. Here, too, he does not give a detailed program but proclaims a general principle, namely, that the aid should be temporary and that it ultimately should be rendered, if sound, by the banks of the country—a sort of educational process in farm credit.

The one surprise in the message is the inclusion of a paragraph on prohibition. After the recent discussion to the effect that enforcement plans probably would be omitted from the national party platforms, the president comes out with a strong statement about the mission of the federal authorities to discharge their obligation for enforcement to the full extent of their ability."

### SPECIAL FUND GROUP TO HEAR ILLINOIS CASE

Washington—By decisive majority, the senate Wednesday refused the oath of office to Frank L. Smith of Illinois, and referred his case for hearing to the special campaign funds committee which already has conducted extensive inquiries into his campaign expenditures.

The senate agreed however, to permit Smith to be heard in his own behalf on the floor of the senate after a special committee has made its report proposing that he be denied a seat. After temporarily disposing of the Smith case, the senate recessed for three quarters of an hour, with an agreement that the case of Senator-elect William S. Vare of Pennsylvania, would be taken up later.

Smith was denied the oath by a vote of 50 to 32. The senate on a resolution by Senator Deneen of Illinois, proposing administering of the oath and a hearing before the privileges and elections committee.

The vote came after several hours of oratory by supporters and opponents of the motion to bar the Illinois senator-elect and William S. Vare without further hearing. Senator Borah of Idaho, opposed such a plan, and Senator Reed of Missouri, bore the brunt of the battle of words.

**NOTE ON SMITH**

Five Democrats joined with 27 Republicans in voting to deny Smith the oath, while 13 Republicans and one Farmer-Labor joined with 37 Democrats in denying the oath. The roll call follows:

For administering the oath—Republicans: Bingham, Boah, Brookhart, Curtis, Deneen, Edges, Fess, Ellitt, Goff, Gould, Greene, Hale, Keyes, McLean, Neff, Aldrich, Phillips, Pine, Reed of Pennsylvania; Sackett, Schull, Shortridge, Smoot, Steiwer, Warren, Waterman and Watson—27. Democrats: Dingle, Broussard, Overman, Ransdell, Smith of South Carolina—3.

Against administering the oath—Republicans: Elaine, Capper, Couzens, Dale, Frazier, Howell, Johnson, Jones of Washington, LaFollette, McMillen, McNary, Nye and Willis—13. Democrats: Johnston, Barkley, Bayard, Black, Bruce, Caraway, Dill, Edwards, Ferris, Fletcher, George, Glass, Harris, Harrison, Hawes, Hayden, Hefflin, Kendrick, McKeller, Mayfield, Neely, Pittman, Reed, of Missouri, Robinson, Arkansas; Sheppard, Simmons, Stephens, Swanson, Thomas, Trammell; Tydings, Tyson, Wagner, Walsh, of Massachusetts and Wheeler—36. Farmer Labor: Shipstead—1. Total 50.

### REMUS BREAKS DOWN AT MURDER HEARING

Cincinnati, O.—(AP)—George Remus, on trial for his life for slaying his wife, became hysterical in the courtroom Wednesday when Haynes well-known lawyer, said in such a low voice that parts of his testimony had to be read to the jury. Mrs. Remus promised him \$5,000 and said that another \$5,000 would be forthcoming from Franklin L. Dodge, Jr., of Lansing, Mich., former department of justice agent who obtained the conviction which sent Remus to a federal penitentiary, he said.

Remus' breakdown was so nearly complete that he had to be taken to the jail to regain his composure.

### DEATH CAR DRIVER IS HELD IN BADGER CITY

Wisconsin Rapids—(AP)—A warrant charging him with manslaughter in connection with the death of Jacob Kuter, Nov. 17, was served on J. J. Johnson Tuesday. He was released for one week on \$1,000 bail. Kuter died after being crushed between a wagon driven by his son and an auto driven by Johnson.

### DEMAND MURDER VERDICT IN LILLIENDAHL CASE

Court Room, Mays Landing, N. J.—(AP)—The testimony given in the Lilliendahl murder trial warrants a verdict of murder in the first degree against the widow of the victim and her elderly father, two center hinkles asserted in his summation to the jury Wednesday.

### Lithuania Sees Threat To Peace In East Europe

Geneva—(AP)—Conditions which threaten to endanger the peace of eastern Europe now exist, Premier Waldemarus of Lithuania, told the council of the league of nations Wednesday, opening an attack on Poland in the present Polish-Lithuanian controversy.

Premier Waldemarus charged that the Polish minister at Riga promised aid to Lithuanian refugees who were in Latvia conspiring against the Lithuanian regime, provided that they fulfilled "certain conditions."

The determined little premier Wednesday dominated all matters before the league council for reconsideration. The great powers have endeavored in vain to persuade Premier Waldemarus to establish diplomatic relations with Poland as a preliminary step to harmonizing differences between the two countries.

Waldemarus declared he would give the council every guarantee of pacific intentions and his willingness to establish a neutral zone between Lithuania and Poland. He said he knew nothing about a favorable turn in negotiations announced by a Polish spokesman.

The council would be called upon to decide, he said, whether Poland has the right to resort to reprisals, arrest Lithuanian clergy and close schools in the Vilna district and whether Poland has the right to organize bands to foment uprisings against the Lithuanian state.

"We do not intend to discuss Vilna," the premier said. "Lithuania has a legal title to Vilna, which she does not contemplate surrendering."

### Musher Tests Grit Of Dogs In Race For Life

McCall, Idaho—(AP)—Showing endurance seldom necessary in races for which they were trained, two dog teams have forced their way 100 miles of treacherous mountain country to save the life of a youth.

The race started Sunday when word reached here that Emmott Rouston, 20, had been stricken with influenza and hemorrhages in a cabin in the isolated Wendenhoff mining camp in western Idaho.

Roy Stover, expert musher, volunteered to take Dr. Don Numbers and John Rouston, father of the youth, to the cabin. Stover was given his pick of the best racing dogs here. He selected six huskies and started the battle through 75 miles of new snow in the Thunder mountain country.

With their feet badly cut and with cold adding to their suffering, the dogs continued to break trail to Wendenhoff where they arrived late Monday exhausted. The huskies were left with another musher and a second team was recruited.

The party negotiated the last 25 miles over extremely rough country in 11 hours. An 11,000-foot summit was one of the hazards. The men, equipped with snow shoes, helped the dogs up steep grades, resting only when they could idle the sledges down hills.

Dr. Numbers found the youth too ill to move, but reported over long distance telephone that he probably would recover.

**GRANGE HEAD WARNS AGAINST DEMAGOGUES**

Beloit—(AP)—Louis J. Taber of Columbus, Ohio, master of the national grange, sounded a warning against demagogic leadership at a convention of the state grange here Tuesday night.

He declared that although agriculture had as much right as transportation, labor and industry to call on the government for help, farmers should be careful to follow the proper leadership.

"It reflects a serious situation when in seven years the assessed valuation of American farms has declined \$12,000,000,000, farm mortgages have risen \$1,000,000,000, the number of foreclosures has increased greatly and the drift of the population is steadily away from the farms," he said.

"This condition threatens not merely agriculture, but the economic life of the nation, for in order to have prosperous cities we must have prosperous agriculture." The speaker stressed the soundness of the grange export debt plan to bring tariff benefits to articles of which there is an exportable surplus.

### CONTINUE SENTENCING LIQUOR LAW VIOLATORS

Milwaukee—(AP)—Arraignment and sentencing of alleged liquor law violators continued in United States District court Tuesday afternoon, with Judge F. A. Geiger meting out fines and sentences ranging from 60 days to six months and from \$100 up.

John Poroski, proprietor of a saloon near Green Bay, Wis., was fined \$100 when his attorney told the judge that Poroski bought the saloon from days before the visit of the federal agents. The beer and whiskey found was left by the former proprietor, the defendant attired.

### FIGHTER OF 25 YEARS AGO DIES IN NEW YORK

New York—(AP)—Alfred Griffith, 55, known to fight fans of 25 years ago as Young Gruffy, died suddenly early Wednesday in a basement room on the west side, where he had lived for several years. In the absence of a report by the medical examiner, acute indigestion was believed the cause of his death.

### COOLIDGE AND HUGHES OUT OF RACE IN 1928

President Firm in Black Hills Statement—Willis De-clares Candidacy

New York—(AP)—Charles Evans Hughes, former secretary of state, issued a statement Wednesday saying he was not a candidate for the Republican nomination for president of the United States.

"I am not a candidate in any sense," said Mr. Hughes. "I am keenly disappointed by Mr. Coolidge's decision, but so far as my own attitude toward the candidacy is concerned, I stand by the statement I made last May. I have nothing to add to it." In his statement last May Mr. Hughes said: "I do not wish my name to be used in any contingency. I am too old to run for president and I would neither seek nor accept the nomination."

At that time Mr. Hughes said he believed President Coolidge would be renominated and reelected.

"There should be no doubt as to my attitude," he said. "I am for President Coolidge first, last and all the time."

That statement was provoked by reports that a Hughes boom would be launched in the event President Coolidge should definitely withdraw.

**COOLIDGE STANDS FIRM**

In his own words, Mr. Coolidge is "eliminated" as a candidate for president in 1928.

He has not changed his stand of Aug. 2 when, in the Black Hills, he said, "I do not choose to run," and he is emphatic now that "my decision will be respected."

Amplifying and to many most vitally interested, both clarifying and unchanging his Black Hills pronouncement, the president amazed the national Republican committee Tuesday by admonishing it to "resolutely continue the serious task of selecting another candidate from among the number of distinguished men available."

Delivered to the committee in the White House as nightfall was coming on, the president's amplification left the great bulk of the committee certain that nothing remained but to abide by Mr. Coolidge's warning that it is time to be about its task of "selecting another candidate."

He stated his position in these terse sentences at the end of a formal disavowal of party affairs:

"This is naturally the time to be planning for the future. The party will soon place in nomination its candidate to succeed me."

**MUST RESPECT STAND**

"To give time for mature deliberation I stated to the country on Aug. 2, that I did not choose to run for president in 1928. My statement stood. No one should be led to suppose that I have modified it. My decision will be respected."

"After I had been eliminated the party began and should vigorously continue, the serious task of selecting another candidate from among the number of distinguished men available."

As the congressional leaders expressed themselves, Senator Willis of Ohio, called in his secretary and dictated a statement announcing his candidacy for the nomination and adding that whenever was selected by the Republican party to carry its standard "must be elected on the fine record of achievement of the Coolidge administration."

### COUNCIL AT STOUGHTON REJECTS BANK'S OFFER

Stoughton—(AP)—The city council Wednesday night rejected a proposal from the First National and Citizens National banks to settle the disputed bank stock taxes of 1924, 1925 and 1926 on a basis of \$5 per cent. Instead, the council voted, 8 to 2, to accept a settlement of 25 per cent on taxes for all taxes, 1927 to 1929, inclusive. The bank offer did not include the settlement of 25 cents on the dollar on the 1924 taxes, the claim being that year's taxes should be settled under the new income tax law.

### FORMER MILWAUKEEAN SUCCUMBS IN FLORIDA

Milwaukee—(AP)—William Lindsay, 57, prominent resident of Milwaukee and a member of the Lindsay Brothers, Inc., died in St. Petersburg, Fla., Tuesday afternoon. Until 10 years ago when he took up residence in St. Petersburg, Mr. Lindsay was associated prominently with many civic and philanthropic enterprises in Milwaukee and the state. He had come to St. Petersburg in 1918.

### President Stresses Need for Limiting Tax Reduction to 225 Million

WANTS RIGID ECONOMY Flood Control and Other Measures Not Yet Passed Are Not Included

Washington—(AP)—Presenting a budget of \$4,258,793,765 for the next fiscal year to Congress today, President Coolidge stressed the necessity for limiting the prospective tax reduction to \$225,000,000, as recommended by Secretary Mellon. In his letter of transmittal he also cautioned against any action which might jeopardize the "balanced budget" of the government.

The total appropriations recommended by the President exceed last year's budget by \$244,222,641, and the amount actually appropriated by Congress for the current year by \$118,649,219.

The President advised the House and Senate, however, that a supplemental appropriation of \$158,441,655 would be needed to meet deficits incurred by various government agencies this year.

The largest item in the new budget is for national defense, an appropriation of \$845,000,000, as compared with a total of \$625,000,000 available this year, being advocated. The increase is accounted for mainly by the Navy's Building program, army housing and a continuation of the five year aviation program for the army and navy.

**DEPENDS ON ECONOMY**

A reduction of even \$225,000,000 in taxes, Mr. Coolidge emphasized, is dependent on "continued prosperity" and rigid government economy. He explained that the estimated surplus for the coming fiscal year is \$225,540,000 of which \$75,000,000 is from non-recurring sources.

Flood control and other projects not yet acted upon by Congress are not provided for in this estimated surplus, he explained, and "it is reasonably certain that some of them will be enacted into law." Adequate flood control, he added, "meets the requirement of absolute and urgent necessity."

"The assurance that federal expenditures will be kept within federal receipts," the President declared, "has hitherto been a public confidence. It has contributed measurably to the prosperous condition of the country. It has ministered to the justification of our people in their government and in its orderly and sane processes."

"To jeopardize our balanced budget, to do anything that in the most remote degree would threaten to interfere with the orderly processes of wise financing, to take steps in the interest of tax reduction that would necessitate either revolutionary curtailment of federal projects and activities or compel a later upward revision of tax rates, or both, is unthinkable. I am convinced the people of this country are overwhelmingly in favor of keeping the budget balanced and are just as overwhelmingly opposed to any measure or measures that would make any other results even remotely possible."

**MORE FOR NAVY**

If the budget recommendations are followed, Navy expenditures for the next year will be increased \$48,000,000. This includes provision for construction of three submarines and twelve destroyers authorized in 1916 for which Mr. Coolidge said no funds are desired now. Under this program two submarines and eight cruisers would be under construction next year and two of the cruisers would be practically completed in 1929. Funds also are recommended for modernization of the battleships Oklahoma and Nevada and for the lighter-than-air ship, already authorized, that will cost \$10,000,000. For army housing, a total of \$12,251,000 is recommended for expenditure during this and next year, about

### Calles Lauds U. S. Envoy AS HIS PERSONAL FRIEND

Mexico City—(AP)—In six weeks Ambassador Morrow has greatly improved relations between the United States and Mexico, in the opinion of President Calles. The president gave his view to correspondents who accompanied him and the ambassador on their tour of the country. Morrow's main virtue is his ability to make himself loved by everybody, the president said. He considers the ambassador to be his personal friend.

He said his invitation to Morrow to join the tour was due to a desire to afford the ambassador an opportunity to know the country and its needs. Morrow, Calles said, "is a very intelligent man a very thoughtful man, a man of deep understanding."

"Everywhere on his trip Ambassador Morrow has received from the masses of common people, from the masses of their country, the warmest of hearts that ever."

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HIGHWAY BOARD TO DISCUSS MEANS OF AVERTING VIADUCT

Members of Commission Coming Friday, Following Visit of Local Men

The present outlook is that the city will have some support from the state highway commission in an effort to prevent erection of the Wisconsin-ave viaduct, according to local officials who returned Tuesday night from Madison where they had discussed the matter with members of the commission.

The order from the state railway commission, ordering the construction of the viaduct, was issued Dec. 3 and on the same day the highway commission had asked for a delay of 60 days but this request was refused. The highway commission is directed by the railway commission's order, to pay one half of the cost.

Members of the highway commission will be here Friday and will go over the proposed routing of Highway 41 North of the railroad to McCarty crossing.

The state highway commission, according to Mayor A. C. But, stated there were no funds available with which to purchase its share but at the same time it was in duty bound to cooperate with the railway commission.

GRAVEURE TO SING VARIED PROGRAM HERE

Famous Baritone Visits Europe Every Year to Add to His Repertoire

Programs of Louis Graveure, internationally famous baritone, who will sing at 8:20 in Lawrence Memorial chapel Wednesday evening, are always anticipated with great pleasure. Mr. Graveure goes to Europe every year to visit the great musical centers in order to put variety into his programs.

From his repertoire of over 500 songs in French, German, Italian, and English his recitals are beautiful and contrasted.

Mr. Graveure's many appearances outside of New York permitted him time for only one recital in New York last season.

Mr. Graveure's program which he will present in Appleton consists of four groups of songs—German, old English, French, and modern English and American songs. Bryceson, Tenharme will accompany Mr. Graveure and will play a group of piano solos.

The program:

German Songs: "Der Rauch" Joseph Marx "Mausfallen Spruchlein" Hugo Wolf "Geduld" Richard Strauss "Trinklied" Erich Wolf

Old English Songs: "Western Wynde" 16th Century "Summer is a coming in 12th Century "What if a day?"

Thomas Campion, 16th Century "Flow thou regal, purple stream" Samuel Arnold, 16th Century

Piano Solos: "Rhapsody E minor" Brahms "Pastorale" Scarlatti "Spoon River" Grainger Bryceson Tenharme

French Songs: "Nocturne" Franck "J'ai dit aux collets" Paladilhe "La vigne et le clocher" Duparc "Mal" Saint-Saens

English and American Songs: "Pleading" Elgar "My Menagerie" Fay Foster "Mary" Richardson "Five-and-Twenty Sailorsmen" Cleridge-Taylor

SIGMAN CONFERS WITH COMMERCIAL FISHERS

Samuel Sigman, counsel for the Wisconsin Federation of Commercial Fishermen, returned Tuesday from visiting branches of the organization in Milwaukee, Sheboygan, Port Washington and Two Rivers. Mr. Sigman met with committees to discuss routine business matters. He is to appear before a gathering of fishermen at Sheboygan Saturday evening to discuss matters pertaining to the fishermen's association.

THE WEATHER

	Coldest	Warmest
Appleton	25	31
Chicago	24	31
Denver	10 below	40
Deluth	below	40
Galveston	50	70
Kansas City	16	40
Milwaukee	40	40
St. Paul	4	16
Seattle	54	42
Washington	58	50
Winnipeg	below 12	below 12

**WISCONSIN WEATHER**

Snow tonight and probably in east Thursday morning; fair Thursday in west portion; colder tonight; severe cold wave in east and south; much colder Wednesday in east; strong north to northwest winds and cold.

**WEATHER CONDITIONS**

The low pressure, or storm, area which yesterday moved into the central plain states has now moved to west of Illinois, moving northward and developing into a storm of great intensity, with snow or rains from the Great Lakes and Appalachians westward to the Rockies and with warm temperatures behind northeast to the Great Lakes. It is anticipated that strong winds and cold waves over the lakes. A very strong high pressure area with cold waves is sweeping over the Canadian northwest compared over the plains states, with freezing temperatures into Texas and zero in Colorado and western Kansas this morning. This cold wave will sweep over this section by late this afternoon and tonight after the water of the "low" passes with zero temperatures anticipated here by Thursday morning, continuing probably for two or three days.

Notice to Theatres and Churches. Pipe organ tuner repair man will be in the city this week. Leave your orders with G. D. Ziegler, Ins. Bldg.

DISTRICT SCOUT COUNCIL DISCUSSES EXAMINATIONS

The court of honor system and scout examinations will be discussed by members of Appleton district committee of valley council, by scouts, at their regular monthly meeting Thursday noon at Hotel Northern. Lunch will be served at 12:15. A report of activities during the past month including the scout leaders' training course will be read.

Friday evening persons who completed the scout leaders' training course last week will meet for dinner and receive certificates awarded for completion of the work. The dinner has been set for 6:30 o'clock at Hotel Northern. Twenty-three men are expected to be present.

GRAND CHUTE OFFICIAL SECOND TO FILE BOND

George Kreickberg, treasurer of the town of Grand Chute, was the second of the town, city and village treasurers of Outagamie-co to file his surety bond for collection of county taxes with Miss Marie Ziegenhagen, county treasurer. The amount of Mr. Kreickberg's bond is \$27,132.50 or twice the amount of the town's share of county taxes. Fred R. Dachman, Appleton treasurer, was the first to file bond. All treasurers must file with Miss Ziegenhagen before the tax rolls are turned over to them for collection.

Walter B. Niernak of Manitowish was spending several days with relatives here.

LUCILLE MEUSEL TO SING OPERA PART IN BROADCAST PROGRAM

Miss Lucille Meusel of Green Bay, who sang the part of a shepherdess in Wagner's "Tannhauser" with the Chicago Civic opera company a few evenings ago, will sing the same part over the WIZ chain at 9 o'clock Thursday evening when a part of the opera is broadcast.

Miss Meusel will appear Friday afternoon, Dec. 16, in the leading role of Hansel and Gretel in the Milwaukee auditorium. A block of 100 seats for the opera is being arranged by persons in Green Bay and Appleton who will extend the performance. Seats may be obtained from the office of the Association of Commerce at Green Bay.

The announcement also has been made that Miss Meusel will appear the same evening with Mary Garden in "Louise." She will sing with Rosa Raisa in an English opera, "The Bat," on New Years eve in Chicago.

PROHIBITION AGENTS FAIL TO FIND BOOZE

An unsuccessful raid was conducted by Sheriff Otto Zuehlke and two state prohibition officers Tuesday morning at the home of John Calmes, town of Grand Chute farmer. No signs of illicit liquor or a still were discovered by the sheriff and the prohibition officers. The raid was made on a complaint to the sheriff.

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half of it being included in the supplemental estimate. The army estimates contemplate a regular army of 115,750 enlisted men, slightly larger than the present, with 12,000 officers, the same as now.

Recommended appropriations for the army and navy air services would give the Navy 606 of the 1,000 planes provided by the five year program and the Army an unestimated number of 1,500 airplanes authorized for it at the end of five years. Also, funds would be available during the next year to complete more than 10,000 miles of lighted airways as contemplated in the Department of Commerce aviation program.

**LESS FEDERAL AID**

The President in his message accompanying the budget called for a curtailment of federal aid to state projects, a policy which he regards as hurtful rather than helpful to states.

"As shown in the maternity and infancy act," he said, "when once the government engages in such an enterprise it is almost impossible to terminate its connection therewith. We should not only decidedly refuse to countenance additional federal participation in state aid projects but should make careful study of all our activities of that character with a view to curtailing them."

For the first time since prohibition went into effect, a decrease rather than an increase in the funds for dry law enforcement is sought. A cut of \$591,255 in the Prohibition Bureau's allotment for next year is the result, it was explained, of economies in administration and in the reorganization of the bureau, which resulted in the transfer of some employees to other agencies of the government.

The effect of transfers is felt by the customs service for which an additional \$1,000,000 was recommended, most of it for salaries of men transferred to patrol of the borders to prevent liquor smuggling.

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Receipts: Customs	\$ 602,000,000.00	\$ 602,000,000.00
Income tax	2,055,000,000.00	2,165,000,000.00
Miscellaneous internal revenue	640,545,000.00	638,545,000.00
Miscellaneous receipts	501,852,314.00	670,053,091.00
Total receipts	3,809,497,314.00	4,075,598,091.00
Total expenditures (including reduction of the public debt required by law to be made from or	3,556,957,031.00	3,621,314,355.00
Excess of receipts	252,540,283.00	454,283,736.00

STORY OF MOTHER LOVE IN THEATRE GUILD PLAY

The Theatre guild of New York will present Sidney Howard's "The Silver Cord" on Wednesday evening, Dec. 14 at Lawrence Memorial chapel. Lawrence college is sponsoring the play.

The guild started in 1919 as a revolutionary movement against what has been the timidity of the American theatre. Its founders and its present directors were either personally con

ected with or vitally interested in the theatre.

They knew that good play-writing and good acting were supplanting the cheap things that had encumbered the stage for so many years in Europe. The guild wanted to start the revolution in America. With \$500 of borrowed capital the organization took over the tiny Garrick theatre in New York city. The first production was "Don't Bore Us with the Philosophy of Death." Although they lost their small capital they were not discouraged for they next produced "John Ferguson." Success marked the venture and to

BESTOW NEW HONORS ON SCHUMANN-HEINK, FAMOUS CONTRALTO

Over 4,000 persons thronged Memorial hall at Columbus, Ohio, on Wednesday evening, Nov. 30, when the honorary degree of doctor of music was conferred upon Madame Ernestine Schumann-Heink, world famous contralto, by Capital university of that city.

Lawrence college conferred its first doctorate of music upon Madame Schumann-Heink on April 9 last year. This was also the first time that the Lutheran school has conferred such a degree during its entire 77 years of operation. Rev. F. C. Reuter of the First English Lutheran church of Appleton is a graduate of Capital university.

KIMBERLY SLOW IN PAYING CANINE TAX

All towns, villages and cities in the county have remitted fees for dog licenses, excepting the village of Kimberly according to John E. Hantschel, county clerk. Five thousand tags have been received from the state for this year. They are larger than those used this year.

day more than 25,000 subscribers are listed by the Theatre guild.

The leading roles of "The Silver Cord" are taken by Florence Eldridge and George Gail. It is the dramatic story of mother love. It is a play for the mature and the unfrail, according to the New York Sun.

ARREST BRILLION MAN AFTER CARS COLLIDE

Two automobiles were slightly damaged in a crash at the corner of College-ave and Oneida-st about 6:15 Tuesday afternoon. Fred Grimmer, route 5, Appleton, was driving his car south on Oneida-st and collided with a car driven by Oscar Neuser, route 2, Brillion, who was driving east on College-ave. The front end of each machine was damaged slightly. Neuser was arrested on a charge of speeding.

**When You Feel a Cold Coming On**

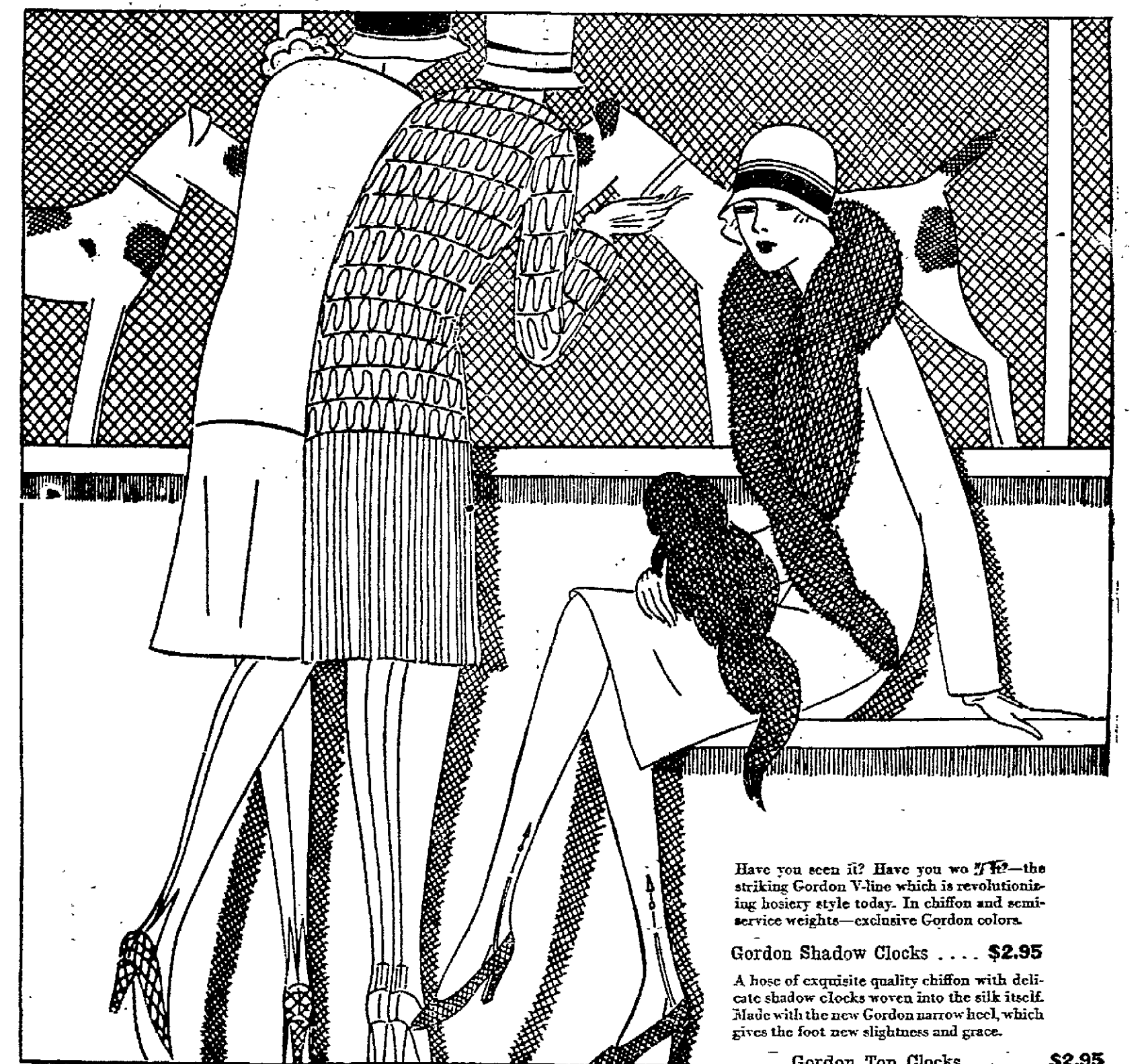
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## POSTAL DEFICIT IS CUT NINE MILLION DURING PAST YEAR

Postmaster General New Fav-  
ors Transoceanic Air Mail  
as Soon as Practicable

Washington—(P)—Continued efficiency of the postal service, that part of the government in most intimate touch with all the people was indicated Monday in Postmaster General New's annual report to President Coolidge, which recited that the operating deficit was cut by approximately \$9,000,000 for the year.

When regular overseas air transportation shall have been demonstrated as practicable and safe, Mr. New told the president, the post office department would endeavor to be among the first to use such facilities in advancing air mails to foreign countries. He asked authority to inaugurate such service under four-year contracts after advertising for bids.

"There is still dissatisfaction on the part of some classes of mail users over changes made in 1925," he said. "The readjustment of postage rates to the classes of mail and the services rendered them is always a difficult matter, especially when such readjustment applies to business conditions established under rates of long standing. The changes made are still under consideration by the congress and the department."

A comprehensive plan for an equitable readjustment of postal rates, the postmaster general said, would be submitted at the appropriate time. A report on the cost of handling the various classes of mail during 1927 will be made to congress, shortly after it convenes, for use in connection with legislation for changes of rates.

### INCREASE IN REVENUES

Postal revenues for the year totaled \$683,121,988, an increase of \$23,302,157, or 3.53 per cent, over 1926. Audited expenditures totaled \$714,577,491, an increase of \$34,875,438, over 1926. The expenditures included transfer of \$15,072,032 to the retirement fund which in previous years was not recognized as a cash expenditure. Exclusive of that amount, audited expenditures totaled \$699,505,459, an increase of but \$19,801,406 over 1926. After adjustments for obligations carried over from the previous year and for obligations outstanding, expenditures totaled \$712,036,704, making an operating deficit of \$28,914,716.

Numerous recommendations were made by the Postmaster General for legislation to improve the postal service. These included provision to carry into effect the president's views providing for the classification of postmasters at first, second, and third class offices and repeal of the four-year term of office.

Approval was renewed of a general plan of government ownership of buildings, within the limit of good business judgment, as distinguished from the leasing system.

### REVIEW AIR SERVICE

An extensive review of the work of the postal service in the development of the air mail service, now relinquished to private contractors, was given in the report. During the year, 107 of development planes flew 15,657.52 miles, carried 298,517,760 letters with remarkably small loss and demonstrated the feasibility of commercial aviation.

The rural delivery service was extended during the year, and is now serving about 7,252,000 families and about 24,475,000 individuals, or one-

## LAWYERS LINE UP TO PLEAD FOR LENIENCY

Madison—(P)—The governor's office is running on a ten-minute interview schedule today.

Fifty two applications for pardons are being heard by the chief executive, attorneys being requested to be in the office at least twenty minutes ahead of the time they are scheduled to present their pleas for leniency for their clients, who are confined in the state prison, house of correction and other penal institutions. This is done so that if one case can be presented in less than the allotted ten minutes the others may be advocated on the schedule.

Few of the cases have attracted public attention.

## LA ROSE IS HELD FOR TRIAL AFTER HEARING

Louis La Rose, Appleton, arrested in a raid on the soft drink parlor of William Bloomer, 732 W. College-ave, several weeks ago on a charge of attempting to destroy evidence, was bound over for trial in the upper branch of municipal court, Tuesday, Dec. 20. La Rose was up for hearing before Judge Theodore Berg in municipal court Tuesday morning. La Rose, it is charged, attempted to dump a bottle of alleged liquor into a drain when the saloon was raided by local police officers and state prohibition officers.

quarter of the country's population. A survey disclosed that approximately 17 per cent of all mail originating in the United States was ultimately delivered to rural-route patrons.

Newspapers and periodicals in the mails increased 3.68 per cent in weight, the total handled being 1,348,391,140 pounds, the increase being 51,965,252 pounds. Postage collected at the pound rate was \$28,839,368, inclusive of that on advertising portions, an increase of 2.51 per cent. The advertising sections of publications subject to zone rates weighed 368,325,518 pounds, on which \$19,653,496 was collected.

Government and congressional mail handled free of postage totaled 433,599,246 pieces, weighing 132,976,838 pounds. If postage had been collected, the estimated revenue would have been \$14,501,208.

Recommendations for legislation include: Group life insurance for postal employees, restoration of the 1-cent private mailing card, collect-on-delivery business reply cards, additional charge on short-paid matter, equitable rate on transient second-class mail, more effective special delivery service, provision for receipts for ordinary mail and fee for same, demurrage charges on undelivered collect-on-delivery parcels, extending C. O. D. service to sealed parcels on which first-class postage is paid, increasing postal savings limit to \$5,000, establishment of a uniform system of registration of mail, purchase and erection of community rural route boxes for rental, permission for mail transportation on common-carried motor-vehicle lines engaged in interstate transportation, and permission to hire vehicles for letter carriers.

Pointing out that persons found guilty of attempting to extort money through the mails by means of blackmail are not amenable to the law, the postmaster general recommends legislation to cover such schemes.

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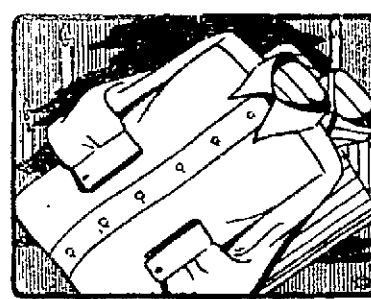


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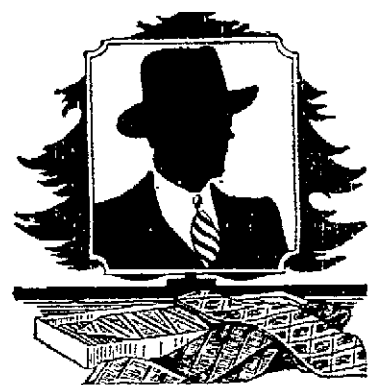
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SPORTS NEWS OF NEENAH AND MENASHA

MENASHA COUNCIL LOWERS TAX RATE TO \$32 FOR 1928

Cut of \$2 Follows Increased Valuation of More Than Million and Half

Menasha—The rate of taxation was fixed at \$32 per \$1,000 at the meeting of the common council Tuesday evening, on a total assessed valuation of \$41,762,000, which was an increase of \$1,431,475 over that of last year. The rate last year was \$34.

Items of the tax levy are:

State tax, \$6,000; city, \$2,500; special charges on county, \$2,850,000; county tax, \$48,215.11; county school tax, \$11,572.75; Tayco-st bridge, \$40,000; county poor and indigent tuberculosis, \$2,838.44; salaries, \$23,680; schools, \$105,500; vocational school \$21,000; parks and recreation, \$10,000; library, \$11,702.60; lighting and hydrant rental, \$23,474.50; poor and health departments, \$3,000; fire department expenses, \$5,000; buses, \$2,500.

Printing and ordinances, \$500; city hall and city office, \$500; police department expenses, \$200; cemetery fund and expenses, \$500; election expense, \$800; principal on bonds, \$7,000; interest on bonds, \$8,207.12; streets, sidewalks and sewers, \$28,473.91; bank stock refunds, \$7,797.50; bathing beach, principal and interest, \$850; total \$374,482.56.

Mayor N. G. Remmel said the assessed valuation was placed so high this year that there are strenuous objections to it on the part of many industrial plants and it was reduced more than \$748,000. The engaging of experts cost the city \$5,500. Never in the history of the city has Menasha been in better financial condition, said the mayor. One school has been built and paid for, he said and there is \$36,000 in the tax roll to pay for another.

TWIN CITIES SEAL SALE IS UNDERWAY

Proceeds Will Be Used to Promote Better Health in Community and State

Menasha—Residents of the Twin Cities have received Christmas seals mailed out under the direction of the welfare committee of the Economics club. The Economics club is the local agent of the Wisconsin Anti-Tuberculosis association and the proceeds of the sales are used to promote better health in the community and throughout the state. The fund raised the past year has enabled the welfare committee to contribute to the following projects:

One-third of the cost of the child health clinics conducted by the state board of health and sponsored by the Visiting Nurse association.

Provided a fund for free dental work in both Neenah and Menasha under the direction of Miss Ada Garvey and Miss Caroline Schickman, school nurse, and allowed an additional amount of \$50 each for free milk in the schools of the Twin Cities.

Christmas seals will not be sold from door to door by children in either city. Health boards are being placed in the schools under the supervision of Superintendents Knowlton and Hedger and shares in the bonds are purchased by the children.

BARNES NEW PRESIDENT MENASHA KIWANIS CLUB

Menasha—George D. Barnes was elected president of Menasha Kiwanis club at the weekly luncheon Tuesday noon at Hotel Menasha. Other officers elected were: Vice president, Edward Schmitzer; treasurer, R. L. Pan; Kratz; district trustee, W. H. Nelson; board of directors, L. J. Fahrback, David Green, Dr. A. R. Jensen, Dr. Del Curtis, E. C. Sorenson, Frank B. Whiting, Harvey Boehnke, R. M. Sorenson, and the secretary will be selected from this list at a later meeting, leaving seven members on the board. F. B. Whiting gave club members a very interesting account of a banquet which the Kiwanis club and Rotary club of Ripon jointly gave the Ripon college football team the night previous at Grand View hotel. The speaker was Knute Rasmussen, coach of Notre Dame football team.

SUPREME COURT AFFIRMS MARTELL \$5,000 VERDICT

Menasha—Judge Joseph Murphy of the Menasha police court was notified by the attorney, William Ritting of Milwaukee, that the \$5,000 verdict against Mrs. E. H. Ritting, Jr., in the case of Ritting v. Ritting, had been affirmed by the supreme court. The case was tried in the Menasha police court and the plaintiff's case was decided in favor of the defendant. The case was brought on by the plaintiff's attorney, who had been notified by the supreme court that the verdict was affirmed.

BEAR BAND CONCERT

Menasha—Members of the high school band have given a musical treat Tuesday evening. About 400 people called for them and they were taken to Appleton to be the first to see the band at the Appleton high school. The band has been practicing for some time and is expected to give a fine performance at the Appleton high school.

ALL DOOR FORD

All door Ford cars are now being sold at a special price of \$1,000.00. This is a great opportunity for anyone looking for a new car. The cars are in excellent condition and are guaranteed to last for many years.

ON MENASHA'S BOWLING ALLEYS

EAGLE LEAGUE

Menasha—Truth team of the Eagle bowling league won three straight from Justice at Menasha alleys Tuesday night and Eagle club took three from Liberty, while Equality won two out of three from P. O. E. 1063. High series, 687, was won by Valger and high game, 235, by Pankratz.

Equality

Voissem	224	177	163
Stuecher	204	225	158
Besch	139	204	143
Wassenberg	198	246	153
Resch	178	248	142
Totals	938	1100	820

F. O. E. 1063

C. Baerens	152	162	163
Bond	149	238	139
Hockrodt	187	163	136
P. Baerens	187	162	136
Muelier	155	169	136
Totals	846	915	876

Justice

N. Keefe	170	208	164
W. Meyer	157	159	234
E. Tullis	153	141	138
Jackson	141	182	181
Hahnne	138	182	211
Totals	819	827	928

Truth

B. Hart	197	194	214
Pulger	151	246	240
Knoll	199	157	137
Drexler	152	163	175
Egan	152	203	167
Totals	911	963	937

Eagles Club

Strebe	169	144	206
Kolashinski	178	168	152
Cheslock	173	209	137
Pankratz	167	253	178
Pontow	176	178	107
Totals	863	953	927

Liberty

C. Mayer	163	182	153
Blancy	170	173	153
Leonard	170	170	170
F. Meyer	174	190	155
Jung	185	207	171
Totals	862	937	857

SOCIAL ITEMS AT MENASHA

Menasha—Twin City Barbers union will hold its annual meeting Monday evening at Maute's barbershop. New officers will be elected.

Groups Nos. 1, 2 and 3 of the Congregational church held their monthly meeting Wednesday afternoon at the church parlors. The year's work was reviewed and plans were made for the coming year.

Herman Luckenbach was reelected president of Branch No. 30, Catholic Knights of Wisconsin, at their annual meeting Tuesday evening at St. Mary's school hall. Other officers reelected were: Vice president, Ralph Walburn; secretary, Irwin Schmalz; financial secretary, Thomas Walburn; Steward, Joseph Pruchnoffski; trustees, Irvin Stommel and Frank Spilski. The installation will be held Tuesday, Jan. 3. The business meeting was followed by cards and a smoker.

The dance given by the Eagles Tuesday night for the benefit of the members of the Athletic association football team who were injured during the football season was well attended. Music was furnished by the Badger Royal orchestra.

Miss Gertrude Blazewski, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Blazewski, 635 Pulaski st., and L. Smith of Fond du Lac were married Tuesday at Fond du Lac. Immediately after the ceremony the bride's party visited the home of the bride's parents, where a reception was held. Mr. and Mrs. Smith will reside at Fond du Lac.

Miss Marguerite Holmes entertained at bridge Tuesday evening at her home on Ahnapp st. The honors were won by Miss Mildred Stein. Lunch was served.

Thomas O'Donnell of Kansas City will deliver an address at the Eagle meeting Thursday evening. He is a fluent speaker and all members should make an effort to hear him.

Neenah PERSONALS

Louis Larson has been transferred to the Waupesa Veterans' home from the Milwaukee Veterans' home where he has spent the last year.

Albert A. Larson is in Madison on business.

Thomas Thomson attended the annual meeting of Spanish War veterans at Appleton Tuesday evening.

Mr. Esther Bohlen, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hrubetsky, the last few weeks has returned to her home at Pittsburg, Mo.

Donald Johnson has returned from a business trip to Rhineland.

Malvin Ship is in Waupesa on business.

Mr. Ellis Cornill was taken to the hospital Tuesday afternoon for an operation.

Clarence H. Hrubetsky, columnist to the Neenah Press, is in the hospital for an operation.

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MAYOR OF MENASHA DENIES DEFICIT

Declares Outstanding Debts Will More Than Wipe Out Present Indebtedness

Menasha—The monthly financial statement presented by City Clerk John Jodway, Jr., at the council meeting Tuesday evening showed a deficit in the general fund of \$103,263.31. It was explained by Mayor N. G. Remmel that in reality there is no deficit as there are outstanding accounts that more than wipe out the indebtedness. The balance in the water and light fund on Nov. 30 was \$20,933.12; board of education, \$36,737.77; industrial fund, \$2,123.20; library, \$22,651.14; firemen pension fund, \$5,020.41; cemetery fund, \$2,965.77; recreation fund, \$271.15.

The poor commissioner's report for November showed that \$110 was paid during the month. City Attorney Silas Spengler was instructed by Mayor Remmel to attend a postponed Manitowish bus hearing at Appleton Dec. 8. The council disposed of a half interest in 17 poles to the Wisconsin Telephone company for \$247.50. The report of the auditor who recently checked up the city books was submitted and placed on file.

Mayor Remmel gave a lengthy talk on the proposed Tayco-st bridge explaining that an effort was being made to secure needed property without condemnation proceedings. Provision of a bridge to be located 150 feet west of the Tayco-st structure. He was of the opinion that the present plans and specifications would be used by the state.

Alderman Brezniski reported that the Wisconsin-Michigan Power company had complied with the request of the council in the way of providing additional facilities in transporting people to and from work. An extra bus and an extra street car have been added during the rush periods of the day and Mr. Brezniski said the company agreed to put on others as they are needed.

Owing to taxpaying season coming at the most burdensome time of the year, Alderman Coyle suggested that provision be made for their payment twice a year, the other time in June or July when both work and money is plentiful. The question was discussed at considerable length and was referred to the finance committee and city attorney. It will be taken up again at an adjourned meeting Friday evening.

542 PAPERS FILED AT NEENAH IN NOVEMBER

Neenah—Register of deeds Stocum has turned over \$195.45 to the Winnebago co. treasurer's office, the amount collected during November. A total of 542 papers were filed; 190 deeds; 144 mortgages; 118 releases and 90 miscellaneous papers. This shows an increase over October of this year when 159 deeds and 135 mortgages were filed.

FIVE PROMOTIONS IN NEENAH GUARD COMPANY

Neenah—Frank Pieschke and Antoine Poquette, corporals in Co. I, 12th Infantry, Wisconsin National Guards, have been promoted to sergeants and three privates first class. Fred Page, Jasper Owens and Matt Minton have been promoted to corporals. The promotions were made Monday evening after the regular weekly drill.

When is a Zipper a Zipper?

Only When Made by Goodrich—None genuine unless the name Goodrich Zipper appears on the flap. Do not be misled.

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THE NEW ZIPPERS ADD A CHARMING TOUCH OF COLOR TO THE NEW FALL COSTUMES

NEW THIS YEAR IS THE LO-N-HI

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Children too, now can enjoy the new colored Zippers—and they cost no more. Made in mottled brown jersey with the genuine Goodrich hookless fastener makes it a pleasure for the children to put on and take off.

NEENAH SOCIETY

Neenah—Edgar Erdman was elected president of the Neenah branch of the Lutheran Aid association at a meeting Tuesday evening at Trinity Lutheran church. Others elected were August Kehl, vice-president; Charles Gomml, secretary and Miss Gertrude Woeckler, treasurer.

The Initiator degree will be conferred on three candidates Wednesday evening at the DeMolay meeting. After the work the chapter will discuss the athletics club which it is to form and a class initiation which it is planning for January.

Mrs. Ernest Grelnert was elected president of Evangelical church DeMolay Workers club at a meeting held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Edward Schultz, Higgins-ave. Others elected were Mrs. David Gollnow, vice president; Elizabeth Turner, treasurer; Laura Meyer, secretary and Mrs. G. Schultz, corresponding secretary.

Mrs. Hattie Kalfahs entertained a group of friends Tuesday evening at her home on First-st. The evening was spent in playing cards. Prizes were won by Mrs. Jessie Herr, August Wemke and Mrs. Grace Fowler.

Chapin Memorial Men's Bible class met at 6:30 Tuesday evening at the Presbyterian church dining room for the monthly supper and meeting. Wives of the members were guests at the supper, which was followed by a series of motion pictures and slides showing missionary work in Japan Korea and other far east countries.

St. Paul English Lutheran church Sunday school teachers met Tuesday evening at the church to make arrangements for the annual Christmas observance. The program by the Sunday school will be given on Christmas eve.

Mrs. Mary Brandmark was elected president of the Ladies of the G. A. R. at a meeting held Tuesday afternoon at S. A. Cook armory. Others elected were Mrs. Elta Nelson, senior vice president; Miss Louise Thielke, junior vice president; Mrs. E. E. Jandrey, treasurer; Mrs. William Kurtz, conductor; Mrs. Nora Backus, guard; Miss Caroline Wheeler, chaplain and Miss Theodora McCallum, patriotic instructor. Other officers are to be appointed by the president.

Mrs. Jennie Kellogg was elected president of Woman's Relief Corps at its last meeting. Other officers elected were Mrs. Marie Handter, senior vice president; Mrs. Alice Bryan, junior vice president; Mrs. Anna Beisenstein, secretary; Mrs. Freda Herrick, treasurer; Mrs. Ella Clark, chaplain; Lila Skendore, conductor; Mrs. Hattie Ranz, guard.

Julius Miller was elected president of the Trinity Lutheran sick benefit society at a meeting Monday evening in the parish hall. August Kehl was elected vice president; Gustav Kalfahs, Jr., secretary; Emil Harder, vice secretary; William Gerhardt, treasurer; Albert Kuehl, Sr., trustee.

Neenah—The fourth of a series of card and dancing parties conducted by Equitable Fraternal union will be held Wednesday evening at the lodge hall on S. Commercial-st. Cards will be played early in the evening after which there will be dancing. The committee for this party is Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Donovan, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sommers and Mr. and Mrs. Norton Williams.

Mrs. Paul Longhurst was surprised Monday evening at her home on

ELECT DIRECTORS OF KIWANIS CLUB

Luncheon Club Sets Date for Christmas Party for Neenah Children

Neenah—T. M. Gilbert, John Herziger, Max Schalk, Givran Warner, Charles Fitzpatrick, George Elvers and Charles Madison were elected directors of the Kiwanis club at the weekly meeting Tuesday noon at the Valley Inn.

Saturday, Dec. 24, has been designated as the date when the Kiwanis club will entertain every child in the city at a Christmas party at Saxe Neenah Theatre. John Herziger, Eaton Sizer and William Campbell, the committee in charge of the party, reported that every detail had been arranged for an afternoon of fun for the children. A show will be given and if there is not room enough for all at the first performance, a second show will be given. Fruit, nuts and candy will be distributed as the children pass out of the theatre.

The club has issued invitations to all people interested in safety work to be present at the next Tuesday luncheon at Valley Inn. "Uncle Bob" KYY broadcaster, is to be the guest at the luncheon which will also be attended by the Menasha Kiwanis club. The meeting program is to be broadcast, through station WAIZ, controlled by the Zuelke Music company of Appleton.

NEW CAGING TEAMS ARE TRYING TO BOOK GAMES

Neenah—Two new basketball teams have recently been organized here, which are seeking games. One is the Cactus Specials captained by John Art with James Shea, Harvey Jorgensen, Howard Schmidt, Clarence Thalke and Clarence Melke as members, and the other is the Cincinnati Bears captained by Oakley Neary and having Robert Marty, Ralph Hauser, Gordon Brown, Harvey Kolbe and Loyal Baehler as members. The teams will play their first game Wednesday evening as a curtain raiser for the Yellow Jacket-Two Rivers game at S. A. Cook armory.

PLAY MADE PART OF STUDENT INITIATION

Neenah—"Filming Uncle Tom's Cabin" is the title of a burlesque performance high school football lettermen who are to be admitted Friday evening to the "N" club, will present. This will take place of the initiation activities which have been prohibited by the school authorities. Clarence Thalke has been assigned the part of Uncle Tom; Herman Therman will play Eva; William Stacker will play Eliza; Charles Neubauer, Simon Legree; Raymond Goleimer, Simon Schots; Carl Stridde, Topsey; Kenneth Nye, Ophelia and Towser Stridde, a bloodhound. Paul Grogan will be Red, the camera man. The remainder of the 20 candidates will take part in a burlesque orchestra and other short plays.

Men who won letters during the track season will also have a part in the program as they have not as yet been initiated. The program will be followed by a lunch.

Fourth-st by a group of young people. The evening was spent with cards. Prizes were won by Misses Helen and Verna Engfer.

NEENAH BOWLING

CITY LEAGUE

Neenah—City bowling league teams rolled their weekly matches Tuesday evening at Neenah alleys. Bergstrom Paper company team regained first place by winning three games from Saxe Theatre.

The Bergstroms rolled 296 in games of 555, 692 and 1017. Lakeviews rolled high single game 1070. Burns rolled high three games with 657, and Sawyer high single game of 240.

Team standings:

Bergstrom	W. L. Pet
Lanks No. 1	25 11 404
Janks No. 2	24 12 467
Queen Sandies	20 16 556
Distributors	20 16 556
Saxe	17 19 472
Sawyer Paper	18 20 444
Lakeviews	16 20 444
Neenah Papers	16 20 444
Crabs	11 22 389
Jersild Knits	14 22 389
Kohl's	10 26 273

Lakeviews

H. Haase	166	234	207
Nash	171	181	171
Shinners	160	217	171
Burnside	203	226	228
Anderson	164	212	173
Totals	867	1070	956

Crabs

Leopold	194	116	237
Smith	231	210	193
Pratt	181	171	181
Beisenstein	194	172	171
Eayser	215	161	156
Totals	1021	949	942

Jersild Knits

T. Kucklenbecker	156	227	215
Creaven	152	152	182
E. Kalfahs	154	193	204
G. Denk	166	163	184
H. Kuehl	130	193	181
Totals	813	957	968

1st Nat. Bank No. 1

P. Clausen	199	203	213
H. Peck	215	146	202
Bleeker	172	162	150
Hennig	169	191	178
E. Maulouf	189	170	192
Totals	914	822	944

Queen's Candies

C. Pierce	216	206	188
Mitchell	192	168	180
G. Parmakes	168	214	174
Schmidor	171	187	187
G. Pierce	171	206	192
Totals	918	980	921

1st Nat. Bank No. 2

Austin	229	194	156
Briggs	184	178	215
Powers	214	218	175
Krull	189	155	234
Muench	188	198	210
Totals	1004	943	990

Bergstrom Paper

Bergstrom	185	185	185
Strange	179	188	199
Vandewalker	225	193	228
Fritzen	175	205	191
Draheim	191	211	216
Totals	955	992	1017

Saxes

Haase	215	187	213
Schmidt	175	178	187
Burr	168	179	175
Laursen	190	208	160

Neubauer

Neubauer	170	221	210
Hartung	148	172	220
Borenz	178	186	192
Totals	860	930	992

Kohl's Shoe Krep

K. Metz	184	238	200
H. Metz	170	165	174
V. Larson	182	182	176
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Pingel	178	178	178
Totals	898	926	935

Disturbers

H. Parmakes	170	187	16
E. Johnson	185	185	153
L. Asmus	211	209	171
F. Johnson	158	224	217
Ziebell	172	163	208
Totals	905	958	907

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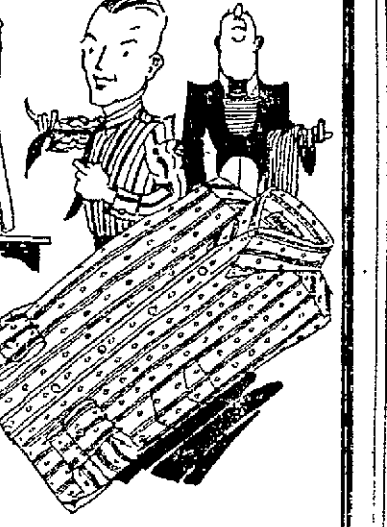
W. Redlin	209	207	185
W. Handler	194	203	208
G. Seitz	176	184	206
M.M. Reelin	173	179	185
C. Handler	172	177	190
Totals	921	930	974

Sawyer Paper

Sawyer	166	210	202
Sauter	176	185	204
Meyer	192	147	171

Totals

Sawyer	166	210	202
Sauter	176	185	204
Meyer	192	147	171



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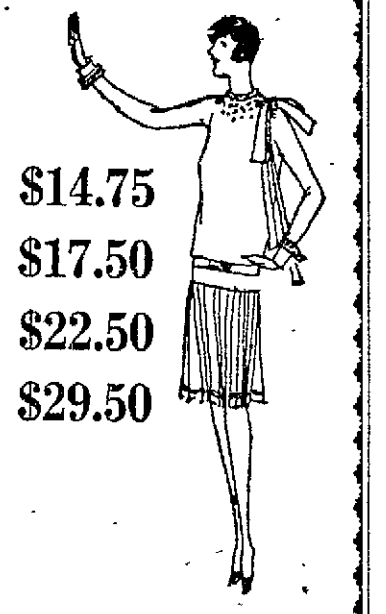
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# BRANDON TO TALK ON CHILD UPLIFT

Executive Secretary of Moose  
Will Address Luncheon  
Clubs Jan. 10

Rodney H. Brandon, executive secretary of the Loyal Order of Moose, with headquarters at Mooseheart, Ill., probably will address a joint meeting of Appleton's luncheon clubs here on Tuesday Jan. 10 on the subject, "The Underprivileged Child," according to Frank S. Catlin, secretary of the Kiwanis club. The Kiwanis, which has underprivileged child work as part of its international program, will sponsor the meeting. Members of the local lodge of the Moose will be invited to the meeting and dinner which will be held at noon at a local hotel.

All of the luncheon clubs have agreed on the Jan. 10 date and now Mr. Brandon is awaiting a message from Mr. Catlin confirming the date. Mr. Brandon had said that he would be available for Appleton almost any time after the first of the year, but that he was exceptionally busy until that time. He recently returned from a trip through Europe where he was sent by Dwight Davis, secretary of labor, to make a thorough study of the "underprivileged" child situation in every European nation. He is said to know his subject thoroughly and is one of the nation's most inspiring speakers on the subject.

## PERMISSION GRANTED TO SELL INSURANCE

Articles of incorporation of the Zuehlke Mortgage and Loan company have been amended to permit the company to conduct an insurance agency dealing in insurances of all kinds. Papers were filed with the Outagamie-co register of deeds Monday.

# Haresfoot Play Coming; 'Feature That' 1927 Title

Kerbert Earle, a star of Haresfoot performances for the past two years, has been cast for the lead of "Feature That!" the 1927 Haresfoot production which will be presented Dec. 21 at Fischer's Appleton theatre. Mr. Earle will play a feminine role in the comedy this year as Renee Charnice, a movie actress.

John Mackin, a graduate this year, will play the role of Betty Vincent, a typical flapper. The other feminine roles of Marion Gray and Elinore Blynn will be played by James Curtis, a sophomore and Donu Abert, a senior. The male leads will be taken by Wilfred Roberts as Molly Hollister; Roy Goodman as Chester, the butler; Francis O'Connor, as James St. Vincent; Franklin Prinz as Jack Vincent; Ralph W. Smith, as Jimmy Taylor and David Sachs as Eric von Sturgen.

## RETURN FROM FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Pardee and son Dick and Mrs. Gusta Pardee and son Bud have returned from Hannibal where they had been called Wednesday, Nov. 23, by the sudden death of Mrs. Alvin Pardee's brother, Luther Keefe. Mr. Keefe and wife and children were driving to Appleton to spend Thanksgiving day and when about six miles south of Marshfield Mr. Keefe complained of not feeling well and died a few minutes later from apoplexy. The funeral was held at Hannibal, Sunday, Nov. 27. The Pardee families remained for a week's visit before returning to Appleton.



This little "girl" is one of the bery of Haresfoot "ladies" that will appear with the Haresfoot production "Feature That!" to be shown Dec. 21 at Fischer's Appleton theatre. She is Richard Abert and comes from Milwaukee.

# JANUARY TO BRING BUSINESS CHANGES

## Four Business Houses to Change Locations as Result of Real Estate Deals

Four changes of location for Appleton business houses will take place the first of next month following recent real estate transactions. F. G. Zahrt, of the Fox River Hardware company, who bought the building on W. Collegeave now occupied by the Walker Drug store will take possession Jan. 1, according to present plans. The Walker store will move across the street into that part of the Zickler building occupied by H. A. Nafke and the Home Furnace company.

The latter two companies have leased the building at 427 W. Collegeave with an option to buy and will remodel it. They also plan to move about the first of the year. The West

# English Divorces Show Increase With New Laws

BY MILTON BRONNER  
NEA Service Correspondent

London — England is doing much less pointing to England with pride and viewing America with alarm over the divorce question these days.

Divorce shows an enormous increase in the British Isles.

It used to be a constant and regular gibe of the English that in America the marriage ties were very lax due to easy divorce laws. They said these laws were destructive of the home, bad for the children of married couples, and harmful to morality. Now they are awakening to the fact they live in a glass house in this respect. This largely is due to two laws.

**CAUSE NUMBER ONE**  
FIRST—Until a comparatively recent date a husband could divorce his wife by proving misconduct on her part. But the wife could divorce her husband only by proving misconduct plus cruelty or desertion. Now either party to a marriage can obtain a divorce by proving misconduct alone.

**SECOND**—A law passed last year will high muzzles the press. In the old days the papers printed full details of society divorce trials, with all the spicy evidence. Now the press is allowed to print only the fact that a divorce case has been heard and give the names of the plaintiff and defendant. No details are permitted unless the court specifically says they may be printed.

In the period 1901-05 the average annual number of divorce cases was 564; 1906-10, the number was 521; 1911-15 it was 656; 1916-20 it was 1610; 1921-25 it was 2751. For 1927 the divorce total is estimated at 3599, of which 2390 cases are set down for London alone.

Mr. Justice Maurice Hill, who has been sitting in divorce cases, has been shaking all England by his outspoken and caustic criticisms of the divorce laws he has to administer.

Recently a woman proved misconduct by her husband. But she did not ask for a divorce. She asked only for judicial separation. This Justice Hill reluctantly granted. However, speaking from the bench, he said some day Parliament would have to modify the law so that in such cases the courts would have discretion to order either the judicial separation asked for, or an outright and complete divorce.

**IF SHE WISHED TO BE NASTY**  
He said he could see how in some cases a cold-hearted woman, who did not love her husband and who did not care for another marriage, might vindictively ask merely for a judicial separation. She thus would prevent her husband from re-marrying.

In another case Justice Hill made further comments. As the law stood, with divorce granted only for misconduct, there was virtually a premium on framed-up cases. A husband and wife could not get along. They wished their freedom. They agreed on a course of action.

The husband "chivalrously" agreed to give the wife grounds for divorce. In the courts nothing could be done about it. The English divorce laws made liars of thousands of people, the justice said.

## FIRST STOCKING FOR CHRISTMAS RECEIVED

The first Christmas stockings from Outagamie-co rural school children for inmates of veterans' hospitals has been received by county superintendent of schools, A. G. Meating. The stocking was from students attending Lincoln school in the town of Horton. The drive for stockings is being sponsored by the Junior Red Cross.

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# EASTERNER WOULD ELIMINATE FUNDS TO HELP CHILDREN

Congressman Andrew Wants Money in Children's Bureau Used for Ships

BY RODNEY DUTCHER  
Washington—Congressman A. Patti Andrew of Gloucester, Mass., cares not who leads the forthcoming struggles over flood relief, farm relief and tax relief, so long as he can lead the war on the Children's Bureau which functions under the Department of Labor. It appears that his efforts may be accompanied by a war cry of "Battleships or Babies" for Andrew wants to eliminate the appropriation for the Children's Bureau and spend that sum and much more for new cruisers.

Friends of the babies have no objection to cruisers, but they point out that the appropriation to the bureau, if diverted, would hardly buy more than a couple of smoke stacks.

Congressman Andrew said this: "The bureau, which was started in 1913 with an appropriation of less than \$22,000, has gradually increased its demands until during the present year the appropriation amounts to nearly \$1,500,000."

If Andrew doesn't know it already, he probably will soon be advised that his figures are misleading. The fact is that only \$294,000 was appropriated for the Children's Bureau itself for 1927. It was also given \$50,000 for expenses in administering the Shepard-Towner maternity act and Congress appropriated \$950,000 to be distributed among the states as he provided in the Shepard-Towner act, but the 1913 organic act creating the Children's Bureau is altogether different from the maternity and infancy act of 1921 providing for federal aid for maternity and infant hygiene work to states contributing an equal amount.

Somewhat, whenever any statesman undertakes to attack the system of bureaucracy so firmly saddled upon us he starts—and generally stops—with the Children's Bureau. He speaks of the importance of "abolishing useless government bureaus," with never a message about the various commissions and soft jobs around town populated by lame ducks and other retired servants of the people—or the party.

The work of the Children's Bureau itself—disregarding the maternity and infancy act of which nearly every state has been glad to accept the benefit—is part of the great scientific research system of the government. The law provides that the bureau shall investigate and report on all matters pertaining to the welfare of children and child life among all classes and shall especially investigate questions as to infant mortality, birth rate, orphanage, juvenile courts, desertion, dangerous occupations, accidents and diseases of children, employment and legislation affecting children.

In 1922 the National Research Council surveyed 533 projects undertaken by the government and estimated the total federal cost at about \$14,700,000. These were carried on under 23 bureaus. Something like 250 were purely research projects devoted to "the acquisition of new knowledge by the method of systematic scientific investigation."

These research projects covered subjects ranging from diseases of trees, tobacco, cabbages and sugar beets and scabies and other diseases of sheep, cattle and horses, all the way to means for increasing the durability of fish nets in the water and standardization of methods testing chemical reagents. Extensions of government research work are being made constantly under the various government departments.

It would thus appear that one question raised by Congressman Andrew is whether it is better to do something for babies and mothers in childbirth or for the fish nets, cabbages and cattle.

Even if Andrew attacks the Children's Bureau on the basis of economy and decides to try to eliminate the maternity and infancy act as well he will face the fact that the million dollars appropriated under it is little more than 1 per cent of the \$90,000,000 in federal money spent for 1927 through federal aid acts similar in principle.

Democrats probably will remember that President Wilson in 1922 took out \$250,000 from his special war fund and allotted it to the Children's Bureau in order to permit a more comprehensive program for child welfare, bringing to \$518,000 the total bureau expenditure for that year.

## BADGER SCHOOL MAKES GOOD READING RECORD

Badger school in the town of Grand Chute was the first rural school in the county to report that every pupil has completed the year's reading circle work and all are to be awarded diplomas, according to A. G. Meating, county superintendent of schools. There are 24 children in the school. Miss Florence M. Keating is the teacher.

## HIGH PERCENTAGE OF STUDENTS SAVE

Eight of Dozen Schools Have Perfect Record for the Week Ending Nov. 22

The number of student depositors of Appleton public schools averaged 95 percent during the week ending Nov. 22, according to the latest banking statement. The balance now on deposit totals \$28,943.94 with interest of \$10.12 being accreted. The 24 withdrawals during the week amounted to \$202.66. Out of the total 3,397 pupils enrolled 3,233 deposited \$679.47.

Eight of the twelve schools made 100 per cent records during the week. Columbus school had 274 depositors which is more than the number enrolled. Its deposit for the week was \$84.38. Franklin had 245 depositors and deposit of \$52.34; Fourth ward, 200 depositors with deposit of \$25.04; Richmond, 69 depositors with deposit of

\$6.14; McKinley, 29 depositors with a deposit of \$12.78; Lincoln, 149 depositors with a deposit of \$28.50; First ward, 355 depositors with a deposit of \$111.90; and Roosevelt, 420 depositors with a deposit of \$130.33.

Appleton high school shows 593 depositors out of the 649 enrolled with a

deposit of \$120.35; Wilson junior high school has 212 depositors of the 232 enrolled and a deposit of \$31.13; Washington showed 365 depositors of the 395 enrolled and a deposit of \$51.07; Jefferson had 221 depositors of the 279 enrolled and a deposit of \$25.90.

## TAKE NOISE OUT OF POSTOFFICE MACHINE

George C. Knorr, Washington, D. C., a mechanic working under the direction of the postal department was

in Appleton this week rebuilding and repairing the local department's stamp cancelling machine. The machine has been causing considerable annoyance to patrons at the office and employees because of the noise it made. Rebuilding and repairing are expected to remedy the trouble.

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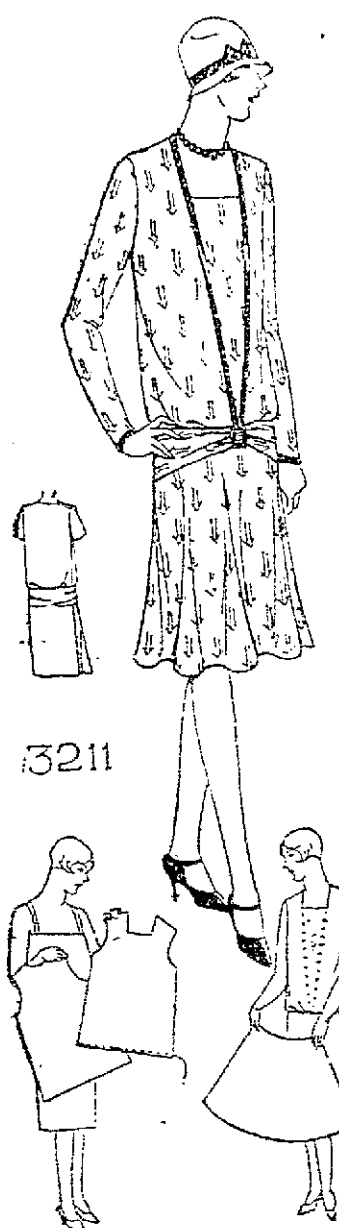


NEW FASHIONS

A PAGE OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

BEAUTY HINTS

MARGOT'S FASHIONS



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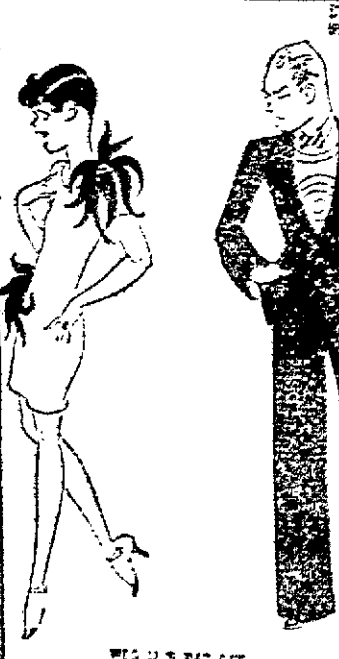
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BY SISTER MARY  
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LUNCHEON — Celery timbales, toasted corn bread, hearts of lettuce with French dressing, baked apples with cream, nut cookies, milk tea.  
DINNER — Baked salmon, scalloped potatoes, buttered winter peels, pineapple and cheese salad, steamed date pudding, milk, coffee.  
CELERY TIMBALES  
One bunch celery, 1/2 cup milk, 2 tablespoons flour, 2 tablespoons butter, 1 tablespoon lemon juice, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/2 teaspoon pepper, 3 eggs, 4 tablespoons buttered crumbs, 2 tablespoons grated cheese.  
Wash and trim a bunch of celery. Cut in small pieces and cook in a very little water until tender. Drain, saving the water. Rub celery through a ricer.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS—



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SAINT AND SINNER

BY ANNE AUSTIN

Cherry hardly waited until the last note of the strange duet had died away before running toward Rhoda, her hands outstretched, excitement blazing in her golden eyes.  
"Where in the world did you learn to sing like that?" she demanded. "Why, Rhoda, you're a genius! Do you hear — a genius! Didn't you know?"  
Rhoda, flushing and laughing a little in confusion, gave her hands to Cherry, apparently more delighted at Cherry's friendly overtures than at her praise of her singing.  
"I didn't learn," she confessed shyly. "I never had a singing lesson in my life. I just sing."  
"But good heavens! — Faith, Bob," she whirled upon her sister and brother-in-law, who were watching the tableau with amazement and amusement. "Tell her how marvelous her voice is! Tell her! The little idiot! How she can have a voice like that and be so calm about it!"  
"Tell us all about it, Rhoda," Bob suggested. "When did you first know that you could sing?"  
"Come over here and sit down, Rhoda," Faith interrupted, patting the couch on which she and Bob sat hand in hand. "Of course you'll be thrilled to tears. I never heard a more beautiful voice in my life."  
Rhoda took the proffered seat diffidently, her cheeks scarlet with embarrassment and pleasure.  
"Alma always said I could sing before I could talk," the girl began diffidently. "Pop — I mean my father gave her a phonograph when I was a baby and she used to entertain me by playing records. I liked the singing ones best and she said I could

carry the tune and sing along with the singer that made the record, before I could understand or pronounce the words. I only tried to sing the soprano records, she said. And they noticed that I imitated the voice of the singer almost exactly, even when I was just a tiny girl."  
"Good Lord!" Bob ejaculated under his breath. "And didn't they give you lessons, child? Didn't they realize that you have a God-given voice?"  
"Don't, honey," Faith whispered warningly. "You may raise her hopes too high."  
"Of course I'm no judge of music," Bob hastened to add. "But when you can sing as you did tonight — What does your brother say?"  
"He likes to hear me sing," Rhoda laughed shyly. "but he thinks I'm just a good imitator. I can't sing by myself, without the phonograph record. I mean, I just sing with it. I can't explain, but I feel hopeless without the other singer's voice to guide me. Nils thinks it's just a trick, and that I wouldn't do very well by myself, even if I had lessons."  
"Nils is crazy!" Cherry exclaimed violently. "I'd like to tell him a thing or two, I'm so excited I can hardly stand it! Listen, Faith," she appealed to her sister. "Let's send for this Nils idiot and make him give Rhoda lessons. She can live with us and earn her board by helping you, just as one of the family. Wouldn't it be divine if we'd discovered a great genius? I guess that would get us fame of the right kind! Oh boy!"

NEXT: Plans for an audition for Rhoda.  
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THE TINYMITES

By Hal Cochran



READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE

THE Tiniest gazed up in the sky, and watched the scooter float on by. "Oh, my, it isn't going to stop," cried Scouty, in despair. "I know that it would give us joy if we could meet that little toy. I'll bet that he's a soldier who patrols the open air."  
The giant then said, "Have no fear. I'm sure that he will come down here. I guess he's merely doing tricks to try and please you all. Just watch him glide, and see him swoop. He sure knows how to loop the loop. Now wouldn't it be terrible if he should take a fall?"  
The Toy Tot kept on flying 'round. He'd sail down right close to the ground, and then he'd swing back up again and sail just like a bird. The Tiniest all were so surprised, they merely stood with open eyes, and watched the funny antics. No one said a single word.

more. Then Clowny cried, "My neck is sore from looking upward toward the sky. I wish that he would land." "Oh, look," said Scouty, mid a fuss. "I think he's looking down at us." And, sure enough, the queer Toy Tot leaned out and waved his hands.  
And then the Tiniest gave a cheer. The scooter dipped and landed near. The bunch ran up to greet the toy. Who shouted, "Howdy do!" "Hello, there, soldier lad," said one. "You've treated us to lots of fun. We're mighty glad you've landed safe. But, tell us, who are you?"  
"The soldier toy then said, "Well, I came from a place up in the sky. I'm known as Santa Land, and it is filled with wondrous joys. Old Santa sent me down to see if you would all go back with me. He needs a lot of help this year in making all his toys."

(The Tiniest start for Santa Land in the next story.)

THIS TRIAL MARRIAGE BUSINESS

BY OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON

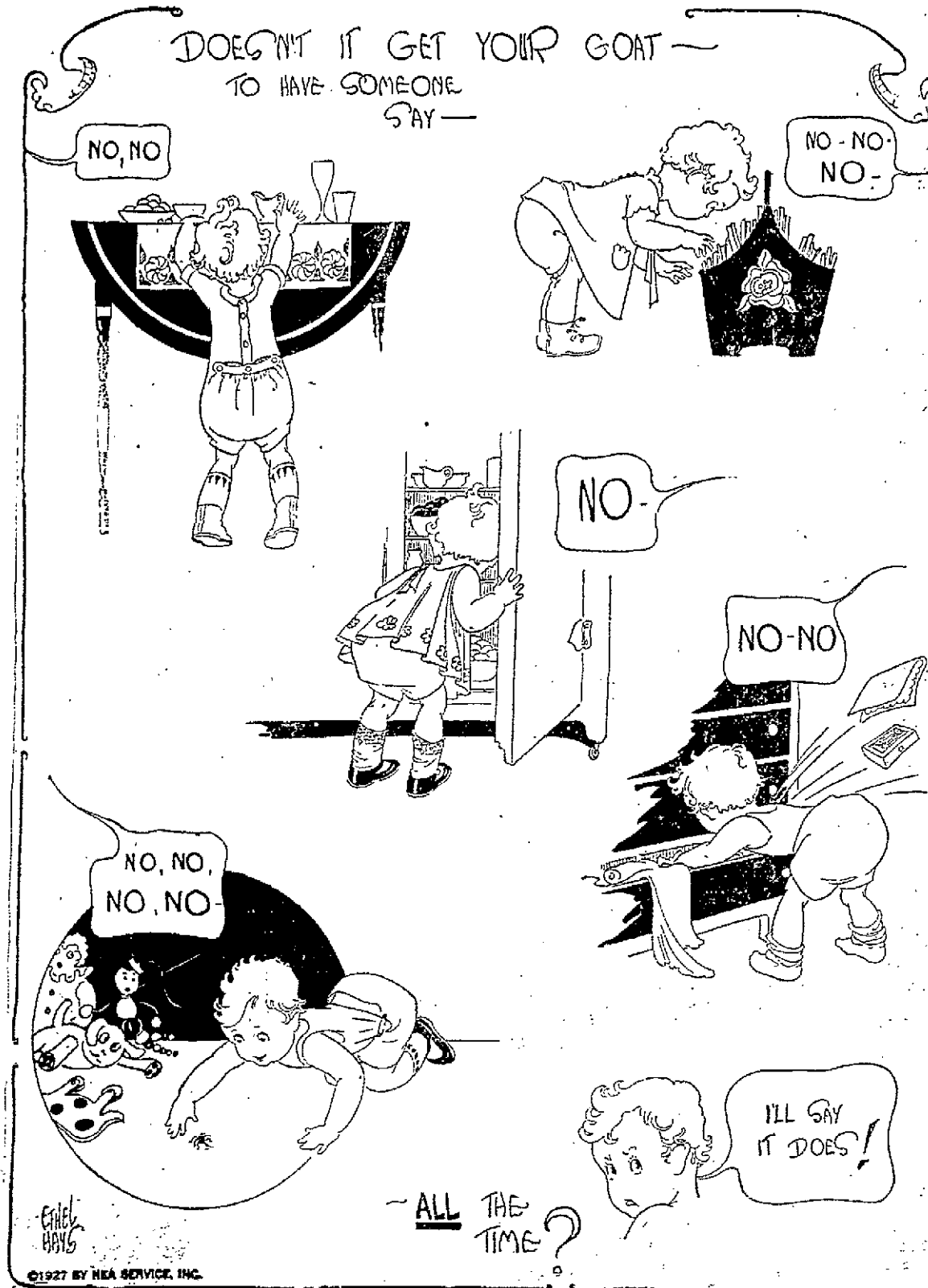
JOSEPHINE HALDEMAN-JULIUS and Aubrey Roselle of Girard, Kansas, have contracted a "temporary" marriage.  
The fundamental difference from the common conception of that institution is the right reserved by the parties concerned to discard each other if it does not work out to their mutual happiness and advantage.  
The idea of the married couple living apart, continuing their individual pursuits, the bride staying with her parents, and going to school, has been around for a long time. How many school-teachers' marriages have happened and are happening right along?  
The less common feature of the contract are these: The father and mother of the bride gave their consent, which we must acknowledge is often wanting in school-teachers' marriages; the young people are not victims of sudden emotion, but are carrying out a carefully considered plan; divorce, if it does not work out happily, is a foregone conclusion, is definite, and free.

the possibility — may probability — is, one man says, just a bit different. This boy and girl, for such they are, are in the vanguard of "trial-marriage," fast marching into place in this country among other symbols of modernism.  
But if trial marriage were to become a national habit, a fixed institution, we might eventually have to re-examine the constitution. Permanent marriage is the foundation of home and on home is built government — as we know it.

ETIQUET HINTS

1. What is the first thing to teach children about Xmas?  
2. Should they be allowed to spend a lot of money?  
3. Should they be encouraged to give small presents?  
THE ANSWERS  
1. That being remembered is as important as the gift.  
2. No.  
3. Yes.  
England has a shortage of clergy-men.

Baby Expresses Its Opinion



FRUIT CAKE IDEAL GIFT FOR MEMBER OF FAMILY WHO IS AWAY FROM HOME

BY SISTER MARY NEA Service Writer

FRUIT CAKE, mince pie and plum pudding are as much a part of Christmas as Saint Nicholas himself and they can all be taken care of weeks before the "Christmas rush" begins.  
A square of fruit cake, a jar of mince meat or a bowl of plum pudding, either or all can be added to the Christmas box for the away-from-home member of the family. Or one of the goodies can be wrapped attractively and used as a gift to almost any friend unless he be a misanthropic dyspeptic or she a chronic dieter.  
THE VARIETIES ARE MANY  
There are rich black fruit cakes and simple dark fruit cakes and several varieties of white fruit cakes. The rich black cake is the traditional English fruit cake while the simpler dark cake is an economical adaptation. The white fruit cake is a somewhat modern conception that is delicious but less moist than the black cake.  
Steaming and then baking insure a thoroughly done, moist cake. And a fruit cake must be thoroughly "done" or it will not keep indefinitely. If the cake must be baked without preliminary steaming the loaf should be placed in a large pan of water for all but the last half hour of baking and the oven temperature kept low.  
Much of the work of shredding citron and lemon and orange peels and seeding raisins and cracking and picking out nuts that our grandmothers found so tedious and time-consuming is done for us. So if time must be saved we can buy much of the fruit prepared in packages.  
Line the cake pans with heavy "parchment" paper to prevent crusty corners and edges. A tube pan is excellent since it permits heat to penetrate from the center as well as the outside.

RICK BLACK FRUIT CAKE

Two cups butter, 1 cup light brown sugar, 19 eggs, 1 cup molasses, 1 cup grape juice, sweet cider or orange juice, 4 cups flour, 1 teaspoon soda, 1/2 tablespoon cinnamon, 1 tablespoon allspice, 1/2 teaspoon cloves, 2 teaspoons nutmeg, 3/4 cake baker's chocolate, 2 pounds seeded raisins, 1 pound seedless raisins, 1 pound candied currants, 1 pound shredded citron, 1/2 pound candied cherries, 1/2 pound candied pineapple, 1/2 pound candied orange peel, 1/2 pound candied lemon peel, 2 1/2 cups blanched and shredded almonds, 2 tablespoons vanilla, 1/2 teaspoon salt.  
Prepare fruit and almonds. Cut cherries in halves and pineapple in thin slices. If citron and peels must be sliced and minced, wash well before cutting. Mix prepared fruits and sift 1 cup of flour over them. Stir with a fork until thoroughly coated. Cream butter and slowly beat in sugar. Sift in 1 cup of flour and beat hard. Add eggs well beaten. Beat hard and add molasses, chocolate melted over hot water and fruit or cider. Mix thoroughly and add remaining flour, mixed and sifted with soda, salt and spices. Beat until perfectly blended and smooth. Be sure that the flour, soda and spices are thoroughly mixed before adding to first mixture. Add prepared fruit and nuts and mix well. Turn at once into deep prepared pans and steam three hours. Remove from steamer and bake forty-five minutes in a slow oven.  
CONSERVING THE MOISTURE  
Stretch and the heavy waxed paper over each loaf of cake to prevent moisture from settling on top of the cake during steaming and to prevent the moisture in the fruits from leaving the cake.  
When cake is taken from the oven place in a clean towel on a cake cooler or bread board. Pull cloth over pan to completely cover it. Let stand fifteen minutes and then lift off the pan. Turn cake right side up and let stand until cold. Wrap in heavy waxed paper and keep in a tight tin box until wanted. Allow at least three weeks for the cake to "ripen."  
The following recipe is based on an old-time cake known as "pork cake." Fruit and nuts are added in generous amounts making a delicious moist cake. No eggs are required and fat salt pork forms the shortening.  
EGGLESS FRUIT CAKE  
One pound fat salt pork, 2 cups boiling water, 2 cups light brown sugar, 1 1/2 cups molasses, 1 nutmeg, 2 tablespoons cinnamon, 1 tablespoon cloves, 1 pound seeded raisins, 1 pound currants, 1 pound dates, 1/2 pound citron, 1/2 pound candied cherries (optional), 2 cups chopped nut meats, 4 tablespoons strong cold coffee (finishing), 4 teaspoons baking powder, 1/2 teaspoon soda, 8 cups flour, 1 tablespoon vanilla.  
Remove rind and bits of lean meat from fat pork. Chop fat very fine and put into large mixing bowl. Pour over boiling water, mix thoroughly and let stand until cool. The hot water will melt most of the fat. Add sugar and molasses. Mix prepared fruit and sift over one cup of flour. Mix well. Mix and sift remaining flour with spices, soda and baking powder. Add flour and prepared fruit to first mixture. Stir until thoroughly blended and add coffee and vanilla. Mix thoroughly. Turn into prepared pans and steam two hours. Bake forty minutes in a slow oven. Cool and store like fruit cake.  
Black baking molasses is used in both the recipes.  
Either of the rules can be used to make two loaves in place of four if the amount of each ingredient is reduced one-half. For instance, one pound of fruit in the recipe is divided by making 1/2 pound. Ten eggs divided by 2 making five eggs and so on. Be sure to reduce the amount of each ingredient.

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AMERICAN HOME MUSIC REVIVED TO DO AWAY WITH JAZZ SPIRIT



MRS. JOHN P. BUCHANAN

Roanoke, Va. (AP)—Jazz is an enemy of national music, believes Mrs. John P. Buchanan, president of the Virginia Federation of Music clubs and chairman of the home music department of the National Federation.  
In fact, she asserts that America's folk songs, including Indian music and negro spirituals, are in danger of being engulfed in the "tidal wave of jazz that has swept over the country."  
America really is a country without national music, she says, contrasting Germany, Hungary, France and other nations which have built up characteristic national music from their home and folk ballads.  
So her department is conducting a country-wide movement to establish a national music for America and to make the more serious of American composers just as well known as Irving Berlin.  
"Realizing the need of establishing, or restoring the really good music in our homes," Mrs. F. J. Seiberling, of Akron, O., conceived the idea of a home music department that should revive with music the fast disappearing family circle," she relates. "But young people should be more familiar with the music of the masters, the hymns of the church, the music of our own American composers and our own simple home songs and folk music."  
Family groups, consisting of piano, voice, violin, cello and other ensembles, are being organized in many states. These groups are appearing on Federation programs. One "home orchestra of Winston-Salem, N. C., Germany, Hungary, France and other nations which have built up characteristic national music from their home and folk ballads."  
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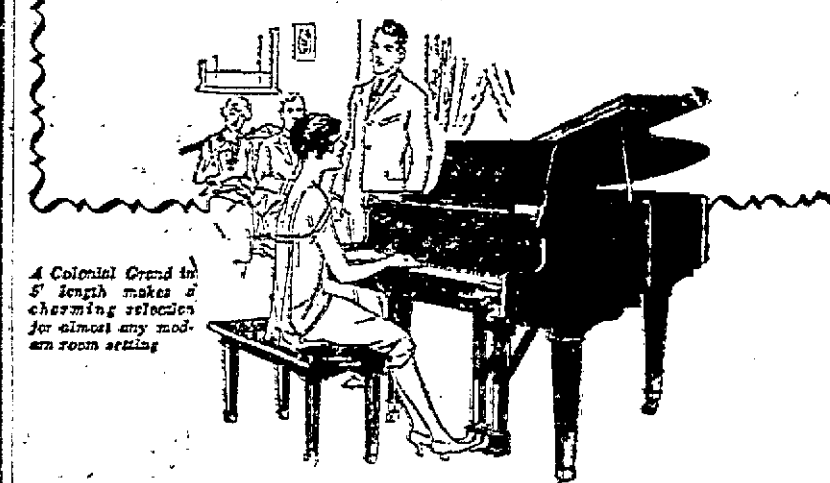
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New Head Of  
Bear Camp

Election of officers took place at the meeting of Charles O. Baer camp of the United Spanish American War Veterans Tuesday evening in the armory. The officers are: Commander, Aaron Zerbel; senior vice commander, Emil Hoffman; junior vice commander, Louis Joske; officer of the day, Joseph Bellin; officer of the guard, Fred W. Gleese; chaplain, W. H. Zuehlke; trustee for one year, Fred T. Morris; trustee for two years, C. B. Peterman; trustee for three years, Albert Schulz; patriotic instructor, R. H. Wheeler; musician, Anson Bauer; historian, C. B. Peterman; quartermaster, R. G. Sykes; adjutant, Fred T. Morris; surgeon, H. J. Behnke; senior color sergeant, Jacob C. Meyer; junior color sergeant, James Demarest; quartermaster, M. S. Feorenboom and sergeant-major, N. H. Grunert.

It was voted that \$1 would be paid each year with the regular dues of \$3, to cover the expense of social activities. The dance committee reported that a dancing party would be held Jan. 17 at Eagle hall. Ransom E. Geyer of Fond du Lac gave a talk and William F. Bauche of Beloit, past department commander told the commandery of the shortage of Spanish American War relics in the museum at Madison.

Announcement was made of the children's Christmas party to be sponsored by the auxiliary on Dec. 16. Mr. Peterman was elected chairman of the men's committee to assist the auxiliary.

GIVE SHOWER OF  
CANNED FRUITS  
FOR MRS. SCOTT

A surprise Christmas shower of canned fruits for Mrs. Virgil E. Scott was a feature of the general meeting of the Ladies Aid society of Memorial Presbyterian church Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. B. Pride, 216 S. Lawrence-st. Reports were given on the Christmas bazaar and supper given under the auspices of the Ladies Aid. Thirty-five members attended the meeting.

There will be no circle meetings on the third Tuesday in December. It was decided, Mrs. O. C. Smith was chairman of the committee in charge of the meeting Tuesday. Other members of the committee were Miss Jessie King, Miss Dess Wood, Mrs. A. S. Galpin and Mrs. C. B. Pride.

LODGE NEWS

Committee chairmen and officers of the Elk club will meet at the club rooms Wednesday evening. The meeting is the regular monthly session of the group. Routine business will draw the attention of the officers.

Twenty-five members of the Fraternal Reserve association attended the regular meeting Tuesday evening at Odd Fellow hall. Plans for a social to be held at the next meeting on Dec. 20 were discussed. William Schinko is chairman of the committee in charge of the social.

Plan of esquire will be conferred at the meeting of Knights of Pythias at 8 o'clock Thursday night in Castle hall. Arrangements will be made for the New Year dancing party.

Plans for the Christmas party to be held Dec. 22 will be discussed at the meeting of Delta chapter of the Employees Mutual Benefit association Tuesday evening at Odd Fellow hall. A class of candidates will be initiated.

CHURCH SOCIETIES

Plans were made at the meeting of St. Agnes guild of All Saints Episcopal church Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. C. Commentz, 8 E. Oak-av. for an open card party to be held next Tuesday at the home of Mrs. C. S. Dickinson. Other business was discussed.

Routine business was discussed at the regular monthly business meeting of the Ladies Aid society of St. Joseph church Tuesday afternoon in the parish hall. There will be no card party Thursday afternoon because of Advent. The next party to be given by the society will be held after the holidays.

Sing Christmas Cantata  
At Womans Club Meeting

The chorus of the Music department of Appleton Womans club will present a cantata, "The Hope of the World," by Schaecker, at the last meeting of the official year of Appleton Womans club Thursday at the womans club. Mrs. E. E. Dunn is director of the chorus. Luncheon will be served at noon by the J. C. club and the Novel-History club.

The cantata will open with Christmas violin music by Mrs. Emil Voecks and Mrs. R. A. Raschig. The opening chorus will be "Ring Forth Ye Bells."

CLUB MEETINGS

Mrs. Peter Melcher, S. Story-st., entertained the Twilight Eight club Tuesday evening at her home. Schafkopf was played and prizes were won by Mrs. Peter Melcher, Mrs. Frank Gosha and Mrs. William Hillman. Mrs. Gosha will be hostess to the club next Tuesday evening at her home on W. Prospect-ave.

Mrs. Richard Wenzel won the prize at schafkopf at the meeting of the Women of Mooseheart legion Tuesday afternoon club Tuesday afternoon in Moose temple. The club is composed of wives of members of Loyd Order of Moose.

Mrs. Lyle Leach, 1301 W. Washington-st., entertained the C. B. club Tuesday evening. Bunco was played and prizes were won by Mrs. A. W. Hoffman and Mrs. Maurice Cartier. The next meeting will be held in two weeks at the home of Mrs. Edward Massonett, 1414 W. Washington-st. and will be in the form of a Christmas party.

Mrs. August Knoll, E. Winnebago-st., entertained the Four Leaf Clover club Tuesday afternoon. Prizes at schafkopf were won by Mrs. Max Egger and Mrs. Herman Selig. Mrs. Henry Miller, E. Winnebago-st., will entertain the club next week.

A last effort is being made by Appleton Womans club to establish a class in conversational French. Miss Meredith Bandy of Lawrence college will be the instructor. All persons interested in such a class are invited to call the club.

The bridge class of Appleton Womans club will meet at the club rooms at 715 Thursday evening. A lunch under the direction of Mrs. Dan Steinberg will be served. Handwork classes will also meet at the same time.

The R. B. club will dispense with its meetings during the Christmas holidays, it has been decided. The next meeting will be held on Dec. 27 when a Christmas party will be held at the home of Mrs. A. Weisgerber.

The A. B. C. club was entertained Monday evening at the home of Miss Evelyn Davidson, 209 W. Lawrence-st. Bridge was played and prizes were won by Miss Venice Fellows and Miss Irma Temple.

Mrs. Mary Peters, E. Wisconsin-st., was hostess to the Tuesday Schafkopf club Tuesday afternoon. Prizes were won by Mrs. H. F. Hall and Mrs. Charles Schulze. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. A. Burmeister, N. Lawrence-st.

CARD PARTIES

Equitable Fraternal union will hold an open card and dice party from 8 to 10 o'clock Thursday evening in Odd Fellow hall. Dancing will follow the card party. Officers of the lodge are in charge of arrangements.

Thirty-two tables were in play at the open card party given by Elk ladies Wednesday night in Elk hall. Prizes at bridge were won by Mrs. Charles Young, Mrs. S. A. Konz, Charles Green, F. J. Rooney, T. J. Long and Henry Marx and at schafkopf by Mrs. A. Liethen and Mrs. J.

JUNIOR WALTHER  
LEAGUE ELECTS  
YEAR'S OFFICERS

John Dietrich was elected president of the Junior Walther league of Mt. Olive Lutheran church at a meeting in the church basement Tuesday evening. Other officers are Wesley Weinkauff, vice president; Ruth Lutzow, secretary; Ione Pedder, treasurer; Ito and Ziegl, hospice secretary; and Vera Moeller, librarian. Robert Mueller was appointed representative of the junior society on the Fox River zone executive board. An invitation to a joint meeting of Appleton and Oshkosh Juniors was accepted. The meeting will be held sometime next month.

Plans for a subscription campaign which would result in placing the Messenger, Walther league publication, in every junior home also was discussed at the meeting. The society has been divided into four teams and captains appointed for each group. They plan to visit the home of every junior society member and interest them in the publication. Captains of the teams are Ruth Lutzow, Edward Steinacker, Anita Tiedt and Vera Moeller.

The chorus is composed of 13 women including Mrs. George Nixon, Mrs. Nita Brinkley, Mrs. Edward Shannon, Mrs. Edmundson, Mrs. John Kutz, Mrs. Lucy Horton, Mrs. Bert Dutcher, first soprano; Mrs. Walter Hyma, Mrs. A. H. Wickesberg, Mrs. Joseph Kox and Mrs. Charles Reinck, second sopranos; Mrs. Frank Sager, Mrs. C. Boyer, Mrs. Sofia and Mrs. E. S. Godfrey, first altos; Mrs. Stewart Leuchars, Mrs. W. H. Dean, and Mrs. H. K. Pratt, second altos.

Aloysius Gage and Miss Margaret Keller, students at Appleton High school, will give a skit, "Sour Milk Turned Sweet" which was written by Louis F. Brand of the Wisconsin Anti-Tuberculosis association. Mrs. John Engle, Jr., directed the skit.

FIFTEEN TABLES  
AT MOOSE PARTY

Fifteen tables were in play at the joint social meeting for members of Loyd Order of Moose and their wives and for members of Women of Mooseheart legion Tuesday evening in Moose temple given under the auspices of the Social committee. Fred Zuehlke is chairman of the committee.

Prizes were won at schafkopf by Wilbur Hauert, C. Dresang, Mrs. R. G. Zuehlke and Mrs. A. Haferbecker; at bridge by Mrs. R. Wenzel and Mrs. Scherke; at dice by Mrs. William Nowell; skit, John Heinzel and Ernest Miller. The next social meeting will be held in two weeks. The regular business meeting will be held next Tuesday night. A chili lunch was served after the party.

AID SOCIETY TO  
ELECT OFFICERS

Officers for the coming year will be elected at the meeting of the Ladies Aid society of St. Matthew church Thursday afternoon at the church. The meeting will be held at 2 o'clock instead of 2:30 as was previously announced.

After the business session, a Christmas party for members will be held. One of the features of the party will be the exchange of gifts. The committee in charge of arrangements for the affair consists of Mrs. E. Perkins, Mrs. Otto Meyer, Mrs. Bernett Nelson and Mrs. A. Peters.

Marcella Stadler and Sara and Minnie Lamers, George and Barney Van Handel and John, Albert, Jacob and George Lamers.

The Home Builders of Memorial Presbyterian church will hold a Christmas party at 7:30 Friday evening in the church parlors. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Heller and Mr. and Mrs. John Pugh are in charge of the party.

Mu Phi Epsilon sorority entertained at a formal banquet Monday evening in the French room of the Conway hotel in honor of Mrs. Lucille Eilers, Bretschneider, Cincinnati, Ohio, national president of the sorority. The actives presented a musical program.

Mrs. George Woelz, 1124 W. Prospect-ave., entertained at a bridge tea Monday afternoon. Seven tables were in play. Prizes were won by Mrs. Eric Lindberg, Miss Lucille Fitzsimmons, and Mrs. Herbert Woelz.

PARTIES

Members of the cast of the annual Elk charity play, "Good Gracious" and their friends will be entertained at a dinner and dance at the Elk lodge rooms Thursday evening. The dinner has been set for 6:15 and the dance will follow. Broadway Entertainers will furnish the music.

Miss Katherine Lamers entertained a group of friends at a dinner party at her home in the town of Vandenberg Sunday evening. The evening was spent with games and dancing. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lamers, and the Misses Ella Noffke, Anna Onkel, Trace and Marjorie Hartzheim, Claire Gresback, Louise, Ethel and L. Wolf. Mrs. Thomas Long was chairman of the committee in charge of the party.

The first of a series of four bridge parties to be given during the winter by the Business and Professional Womans club will be held at 8 o'clock Friday night at Appleton Womans club. Miss Rena Courtney is chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements for the party.

The Octagon Bridge club met Wednesday evening at Appleton Womans club. Prizes were won by the Misses Evelyn Denstedt and Marie Tillman.

I. B. Club  
Takes Gifts  
At Meeting

Christmas decorations and a Christmas program were features of the meeting of the I. B. club of First Methodist church Tuesday evening at the church. About 50 members were served at the dinner at 6 o'clock.

After the dinner a white gift offering was made for Bellin hospital at Green Bay. Three members of the club, dressed to represent the Three Wise Men, presented a stunt under the direction of Miss Esther Rommager. The wise men were Miss Loretta Toeker, Miss Marian McLean and Miss Esther Miller.

Dr. O. P. Fairfield of Lawrence college gave an illustrated lecture on the Madonnas in Art, giving illustrations of Italian, German and Spanish paintings.

Plans were made to conduct a candy booth at the Social union bazaar Friday at the church. The next meeting of the club will be held on Jan. 10 at

CHURCH CHOIR  
SINGS CANTATA  
SUNDAY NIGHT

A Christmas musical service will be given at 7:15 Sunday evening at the Congregational church. A new cantata by Joseph Chokey entitled "When the Christ Child Came" will be the most important presentation. The cantata has just been published and offers an unusual variety and originality of choral writing as well as many unusual numbers for solo voices.

Additional to the cantata the choir will sing "Christmas Day," a fantasy on Christmas carols. Soloists are Miss Helen Mueller, contralto; Mrs. Marian Waterman, soprano; J. H. Walsh, baritone; Carl J. Waterman, tenor; La Vahn Maesch is organist.

which Miss Marguerite Woodworth, dean of women at Lawrence college, will give a talk on the Modern Novel.

Miss Anna Knorr was chairman of the hostesses at the party Tuesday evening. Other hostesses were Miss Jean Brigham, Miss Dora Eberhardt, Miss Cora Guenther, Miss Mae Holmberg, Miss Dorothy Krippner, Miss Frances Lindon and Miss Mable Millard.

WEDDINGS

The marriage of Miss Isabel Wilcox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Wilcox, De Pere, and Lieut. Roger Eastman Nelson, naval officer, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Nelson, Ishpeming, Mich., will take place at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents. Only members and relatives of the two families and intimate friends of Miss Wilcox will be present. Dr. Howard A. Tailbot will perform the ceremony.

Miss Wilcox is well known in Appleton. She is a graduate of Lawrence Conservatory of Music and taught for a time in the voice department at the conservatory. She also studied in Chicago. Miss Wilcox accompanied the All-Wisconsin band to the American legion convention in Paris as soloist. Lieut. Nelson is an Annapolis graduate and recently returned from China where he was stationed for three years. After their marriage, the couple will live in Norfolk, Va.

Mrs. H. Steffenhagen, 1322 W. Lawrence-st., has announced the marriage of her sister, Miss Alice Warner, daughter of Charles Warner, Tonka-

INVITE MASONS  
OF VALLEY TO  
HOLIDAY PARTY

Invitations will be sent out within the next week by Waverly lodge No. 51, Free and Accepted Masons to all Masons in the valley for the Christmas dancing party to be held Friday evening, Dec. 16, at 215 S. Lawrence temple. The committee is planning to make the affair a "blaze" in the woods. The temple will be transformed into a woods for the occasion. Several new novelty dances will be arranged for entertainment. If L. Post is chairman of the decorations.

Carl Sherry is chairman of the Social committee of the lodge which will have charge of the party. Other members of the committee are George Lechard, H. L. Post, L. J. Marshall, Adam Remley, Clement Kechum, J. C. Cameron, Frank Schwandt and W. C. Jacobson.

st. to George Van Dornen, which took place Monday at Waukegan, Ill. Mr. and Mrs. Van Dornen will spend a short honeymoon in Chicago after which they will go to Menominee, Mich., to make their home.

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Coats that were \$19.75 are now <b>\$14.00</b>	Coats that were \$75.00 are now <b>\$57.00</b>
Coats that were \$29.75 are now <b>\$22.00</b>	Coats that were \$89.75 are now <b>\$69.00</b>
Coats that were \$35.00 are now <b>\$26.00</b>	Coats that were \$110.00 are now <b>\$84.00</b>
Coats that were \$45.00 are now <b>\$33.00</b>	Coats that were \$150.00 are now <b>\$110.00</b>
Coats That Were \$49.75 Are Now <b>\$37.00</b>	Coats That Were \$59.75 Are Now <b>\$45.00</b>

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Purses ..... \$2 up  
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NEARBY TOWNS

TAX RATE FIXED AT \$35 PER THOUSAND ON KAUKAUNA PROPERTY

Slightly Less Money Will Be Raised This Year Than Year Ago

Kaukauna — Kaukauna's tax rate will remain the same at \$35 on each thousand dollars of assessed valuation. It was decided at a regular meeting of the city council in the council chambers of the municipal building on Tuesday evening, in order to keep within this amount many things had to be cut, including a reduction of the amount of nearly fifty per cent. Whereas the city raised \$287,241.78 in 1927 it will only raise \$286,058.99, the county year, Kaukauna's assessed valuation for the year 1928 is decreased by \$32,794 from the 1927 assessment which was \$320,052.98.

The city school taxes have been reduced from \$59,555.00 to \$54,801.25 while the vocational school tax went down from \$11,831.00 to \$10,587.00. County-state taxes are over \$10,000 less but the county school tax has grown \$500.

The north and south road district tax has been fixed at 21 mills and practically the same amount is being raised for 1928 as in 1927.

A review of the two budgets shows the following:

County-state tax	1927	1928
County school tax	59,555.00	54,801.25
Electric light bonds	2,000.00	2,000.00
Interest on above	1,057.50	900.00
Water bonds	500.00	500.00
Interest on above	247.50	225.00
Water works improvement bonds	1,350.00	5,000.00
High school bonds	10,000.00	10,000.00
Interest on above	7,150.00	5,325.00
Additional high school bonds	3,000.00	3,000.00
Interest on above	1,875.00	1,825.00
Interest on Fox river bridge bonds	2,500.00	2,500.00
Loans from banks	30,000.00	30,000.00
City schools	64,831.25	64,831.25
Vocational school	11,831.00	10,587.00
Free public library	4,000.00	4,000.00
North and south road dis.	20,517.27	20,432.78
Contingent expenses	29,221.82	15,684.97
South sewer district bonds	2,000.00	2,000.00
Interest on above	600.00	420.00
Interest on water works bonds	1,350.00	1,350.00
Fox river bridge bonds	5,000.00	5,000.00
Canal bridge bonds	5,000.00	5,000.00
Interest on above	2,500.00	2,500.00
	\$287,241.78	\$286,058.99

KAUKAUNA GIRDS SELF TO PROTEST CHANGE IN ROUTE

Committee Will Call on Appleton City Council and on State Highway Board

Kaukauna — The city of Kaukauna will protest the proposed rerouting of U. S. Highway 41 around Kaukauna. It was made plain at Tuesday evening's council meeting when Aldermen said that they would fight the plan.

Mayor W. C. Sullivan will appear before the Appleton council at its regular meeting on Wednesday evening and voice objections to the change. Several local aldermen will accompany the mayor to Appleton.

"According to plans being submitted to the state highway commission," the mayor said, "a few men are endeavoring to reroute Highway 41. Under the new plan the highway would pass two miles north of Kaukauna and Little Chute. After coming into Appleton over the Cherry-stadium highway will cross College-ave to Richmond-st as far as Wisconsin-ave and will run north to the Chicago and Northwestern railroad tracks and connect up with the present highway 41 at McCarty's

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30 WRITE EXAMS FOR MAIL CARRIER JOB

Kaukauna — Civil service examinations for the position of rural mail carrier on Kaukauna rural route will be written at 9 o'clock Saturday morning. About thirty of the thirty-nine applicants for the position have qualified. Members of the local civil service board are P. Mitz, Owen Klitt and Alphonse Berens. They will be in charge of the examination.

YAN ABLE FUNERAL

Kaukauna — The funeral of Eugene Van Able, 23, was held at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning from Holy Cross Catholic church. Mgr. P. J. Lechman was in charge of solemn requiem high mass and was assisted by the Rev. Father Skell of Kimberly and the Rev. L. Van Oeffel of Holland-town.

Mr. Van Able died at 9:30 Saturday morning following an illness of nine weeks. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Henry Van Able; three sisters, Miss Florence Van Able, Miss Martha Va Able and Miss Mable Van Able and three brothers, Herbert, Clifford and Cyril, all of Madison.

KAUKAUNA PERSONALS

Kaukauna — Mr. and Mrs. John Mory of Oconto are visiting friends in Kaukauna.

Miss Eleanor Wurley of Campbellspoint, spent the weekend in the city with friends.

George Harsuch of Chicago was a business caller in the city on Saturday.

COMBINED LOCKS P. T. A. HAS REGULAR MEETING

Combined Locks — The Parent-Teachers meeting, held at Combined Locks school Nov. 30, was well attended and was one of the most successful meetings held the season.

After the business routine a varied and entertaining program was presented.

Those taking part in the program were Mrs. James Sullivan and Mrs. Dan Jensen, violin and guitar selection assisted by Miss Weima Jensen at the piano.

A vocal number by Miss Merle Kohn and Miss Verneen accompanied by Miss Agnes Winklem at the piano.

A piano solo by Miss Agnes Winklem.

A violin, piano and saxophone selection by Miss Alice and Ada Fogelberg, Harold Jensen and Dan Williams.

Miss Thayer of the state board of health gave an interesting talk on infant hygiene.

After the program a lunch was served. Those on the program were: Mrs. W. L. Van Zeland, Mrs. Edith, Mrs. Van Gork and Mrs. Goshorn.

The entertainment committee is planning for the next meeting at

The Post-Crescent's representative at Kaukauna is Gordon Patton. His telephone numbers are 293 J and 10. Business with The Post-Crescent may be transacted through Mr. Patton.

WIENERS TRIM LEISCH'S IN FREEDOM PIN LEAGUE

Special to Post-Crescent  
Freedom—Results of match games in the Freedom Bowling league during the past week are as follows:

Schommers Wieners			
P. Garvey	80	117	95
Leo Schommer	81	107	107
L. Schommer	117	128	145
H. Schommer	95	130	95
J. McHugh	141	140	127
Handicap	20	20	20

LEISCH'S DRINKS

L. Kieffer	117	114	91
W. Newhouse	73	116	90
H. Newhouse	106	74	80
B. Lind	124	106	109
N. Leisch	96	105	127
Handicap	23	23	23

Freedom State Bank

J. Geenen	101	111	94
E. Murphy	124	101	124
A. Schroeder	101	105	131
P. Garvey	99	95	68
P. Vandersteen	144	114	130
Handicap	14	14	14

Greiner Steamers

W. Radloff	16	126	124
E. Huss	97	119	107
E. Huss	97	125	137
B. Bloomer	120	123	90
C. Greiner	150	137	92
Handicap	34	34	34

Vans Cheese

L. Van Thell	100	103	133
John Garvey	126	126	86
Ed Vandenberg	110	112	161
J. Scholl	96	82	108
B. Schraml	142	133	115
Handicap	32	32	32

Freedom Motor Car

W. Pingle	155	128	123
B. Guerts	113	74	60
N. Leisch	102	108	91
H. Guerts	90	129	122
H. Kartz	91	103	107
Handicap	30	30	30

Vans Hot Shots

Ed Vandenberg	137	142	144
W. Vandenberg	93	137	131
C. Choiner	135	118	135
Jak School	61	124	83
W. Van Rivel	128	158	119
Handicap	654	630	617

Elm Grove Cheese

C. Kieffer	95	114	112
E. Van Rikel	116	135	92
J. Kieffer	167	134	83
M. Kieffer	104	103	90
Handicap	33	33	33

LITTLE CHUTE SODALITY ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

Special to Post-Crescent

Little Chute — Miss Merle Koch was elected president of the St. Agnes sodality of St. John church at a meeting held Monday afternoon in the church basement. Other officers elected were: Roseella Bonars, vice president; Della Van Handel, secretary; Mary Heesackers, treasurer. Entertainment for the meeting was furnished by Misses Lucille Peeters and Loretta Williamsen. Those appointed in charge of the entertainment for the next meeting are: Misses Margaret Jenny, Elsie Hermes, Catherine Willenberg and Lucille Peeters.

Members of the freshmen class of the Little Chute high school held a meeting Monday afternoon for the purpose of electing officers. Those elected are: Robert Schommer, president; Jerome Schommer, vice president; Alice Schommer, secretary; Margaret Jenny, treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Versteegen, Fairview Heights, entertained a number of friends at cards at their home Sunday evening. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. John E. Versteegen, Mr. and Mrs. Alois Versteegen, Martin Wynboom, Edgar Versteegen, Henry Williamsen of this village; Mr. and Mrs. John Muller, Miss Esther Maas, Appleton; Mrs. John E. Vandenberg, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Vandenberg, Onondaga; Miss Alberta Hecke, Hilbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Bastion of Seymour entertained a group of friends of this village at their home Sunday evening. Cards and dancing furnished amusement. Those from here who were present are: Bernadette Van Asten, Mamie Van Gompel, Hazel Bohm, Walter Radloff, Elmer Huss, Walter Bohm, John Swinkles, William Huss, Raymond Vandenberg, Oscar Huss, Bernard Vandenberg, Bloemen and Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Vandenberg and family.

A son was born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Derks.

A son was born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Van Gompel.

PERSONAL NEWS NOTES OF ROSE LAWN REGION

Special to Post-Crescent

Rose Lawn — Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hart of Mr. and Mrs. August Fisher, Charles Fisher and Mrs. Christa Pinedel were at Oakbrook last Thursday to attend the funeral of a relative, August Danz, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Pabst of Onondaga, were guests at the William Pinedel home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Pinedel and children, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Radloff, were at Oakbrook at Green Bay on Sunday.

Frank W. Pabst had new steel stovepipes and downspouts installed in his home on Saturday.

Miss George Winkelm was a guest of Mrs. Kimball and daughter Sarah on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Pinedel and son, Harold, Mrs. Arthur Radloff and children visited at the William Pinedel home at Neenah on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Jankowski of Onondaga and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Jankowski of Onondaga were guests at the Stanley Jankowski home on Sunday.

A number of chauffeurs in Onondaga are organizing to form a tourist agency.

HOLD CHILD HEALTH CLINIC AT KIMBERLY

Experts to Examine Young Children for Defects Friday at Clubhouse

Kimberly — A child health clinic will be held Friday, Dec. 9, at the Clubhouse by the state board of health. Dr. Eva F. Johnson of the bureau of child welfare, will be in charge of examinations and Miss Ellen Kaether, state health nurse, will assist her. The work is without charge and all families in Kimberly and the surrounding country are invited to take their children, under six years old for examination.

The aim of this work is to discover physical conditions that need correction and to advise regarding feeding and habit problems. The work also is for the benefit of prenatal cases desiring to register. They are given helpful advice and urged to obtain and remain under skilled care.

In children of the pre-school ages, many conditions found hold possibilities for future harm, such as faulty diet, tonsils and adenoids, decayed teeth, malformations, and certain abnormalities, which only a careful examination by one trained for such work is able to give, it is said. When these factors are found they are reported on a card which is given to the mother, together with the examiner's recommendations looking to their correction.

The village board decided to offer free inoculation of antitoxin for diphtheria to anyone from the age of six months and up, at the regular monthly meeting of the board Monday evening at the village hall. This was done on the recommendation of Dr. C. G. Maas, village health officer. Inoculations will be in charge of Dr. C. G. Maas. The salary of the water commissioners was also raised from \$10 a year to \$3 a meeting.

SEYMOUR EQUITY FETES MEMBERS OF CALF CLUBS

Special to Post-Crescent

Seymour — The Seymour Society of Equity entertained the leaders and the boys of the Osborn, Cicero and Seymour calf clubs, at a dinner on Wednesday, Dec. 7, at Dean's hall. The leaders of the clubs are: Stuart Lambie of Cicero, John Bircholt of Osborn, and John Colling of Seymour. A program followed the business meeting, after which a banquet was held. Prizes were awarded to those who were unable to be present at the Appleton "Get together." The winners of Appleton will give each prize-winning boy a fountain pen.

Mrs. George Lembecke and son, Raymond, returned on Saturday from a week's visit at Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wendt and Mrs. Louis Wand of Menomonie, Wis., and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Walters of Nashotah, visited John Walters at St. Vincent hospital at Green Bay last week.

Miss Beatrice Deebing of Green Bay, spent the weekend with her parents.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pasch.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Halts and daughters, Adell and Ruth, of Oshkosh, and Mr. and Mrs. George Halts

PERSONAL NEWS ITEMS OF SHERWOOD VILLAGE

Special to Post-Crescent

Sherwood — Mr. and Mrs. Carl Strebe and son Russell of Fond du Lac spent a few days at the John Strebe residence.

Mrs. Anton Dexheimer broke her left arm Wednesday night when she fell on a sidewalk.

Mr. and Mrs. William Pingle and children of Potter spent Saturday at the Anton Dexheimer residence. Edward Kasch of Forest Junction visited there Sunday.

Weekend visitors at the John Stumpf residence were Mr. and Mrs. Anton Metzger and daughter, Rosella, and Mike Metzger of Darboy.

Mr. and Mrs. West Siedle and Henry Steffen attended the Hoelr Dawn wedding at Charlesburg last week.

Mrs. Anton Siedle, Mrs. Joseph Siedle and children were Appleton visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Siedle and children visited at the Henry Langenberg residence at Kimberly Sunday evening.

Mrs. Anton Dexheimer and son, Anthony, Jr., visited at Wrightstown Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Klassen and daughter, Leona, and son, Ruoben, spent Sunday at their daughter's, Mrs. R. Zinda, at Milwaukee.

Anton Koehn, local barber who has been sick the past week and a half at his home in Little Chute is well and back again at his shop.

Miss Josephine Otte spent Monday at Neenah visiting friends.

Miss Juliette Fees returned to Chicago after spending a few days with her mother and other relatives.

Gordon Strebe of Menasha, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Strebe, is visiting a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Strebe.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Strebe and children of Sheboygan spent a day last week at the John Strebe residence.

Miss Armella and Roman Holzschuh spent Sunday at Appleton.

H. J. Schommer and A. H. Mueller spent Friday and Saturday at Madison and Milwaukee.

Miss Marie Strebe and cousin Russell Strebe spent Sunday afternoon at Appleton and Menasha with relatives.

Norman and Bernice Wettstein visited at Mackville Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kinney of Green Bay visited Sunday at the Peter Klassen residence.

Montreal's new baseball stadium will cost \$500,000.

and daughter, Lucy of Appleton, and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Maas of Seymour, were Sunday guests at the John Colling home.

Louis Arnold has returned home after receiving treatment at a Green Bay hospital.

Miss Enid Walsh spent the weekend with her sister at Oshkosh.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Haase spent Sunday with relatives at Oshkosh.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Deffner visited at the John Dilger home last week.

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Railroads Again Able to Raise New Capital by Issuance of Bonds

BY STANLEY W. PRENOSIL

New York (AP)—Steadily improving earnings and increased operating efficiency of the country's railroads during the past few years have placed many of the leading systems in a position to raise new capital through the sale of stock for the first time since the World war.

Railroad financing in the first nine months of 1927 totaled \$330,774,187, of which \$172,505,187 was stock. This compared with total financing of \$339,462,000 in the corresponding period of 1926, of which only \$10,240,000 represented stock.

Railroad credit in the post-war period had sunk so low that many roads were compelled to raise new capital solely through the sale of bonds and notes bearing interest rates of 6 and even 7 per cent. This continued issue of bonds, with their heavy fixed charges, resulted in unbalanced and unwieldy capital structures, which gradually are being corrected through the retirement of bonds and the sale of stock. The Interstate Commerce Commission has readily granted approval for railroad stock issues wherever the credit of the road was such

LITTLE FINANCING NOW

Little new railroad stock financing is in prospect for the near future, however. Railroad bankers point out that the large systems which already easily sold additional stock already have retired as many high coupon bonds as were redeemable and had no immediate need of cash, while the earnings position of others, particularly in the Northwest, had not yet reached a point where stock financing was feasible or profitable. The Great Northern, for example, recently sold a \$20,000,000 issue of 5 per cent bonds.

Improved earnings of railroads have been due to heavier traffic and greater operating efficiency, which has been accomplished by making the engines run further and faster, increasing the length of trains, keeping terminals clear of congestion and rolling stock in good repair and assuring better cooperation between the carriers and shippers through frequent regional conferences and other means of close contact.

NEW ISSUES IN 1928

A new stock offering by the Missouri Pacific is regarded in Wall street as likely next year as part of plans, now under consideration by a special committee of directors, to wipe out nearly \$50 in accumulated dividends on the preferred issue. The Southern Railway has \$20,000,000 in common stock unissued of the \$30,000,000 additional authorized late in 1926 and, if business along the line warrants, it is probable that this stock will be sold during the coming year. One of the largest stock offerings this year was \$490,000,000 in pre-

ferred stock of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, the proceeds of which were used to pay off the war debt to the government and for other capital purposes. The Canadian Pacific offered \$22,500,000 of new ordinary stock to shareholders at \$150 a share and \$5,000,000 additional to officers and employees. Other stock sales either completed or in preparation since January 1 include the New York Central \$33,325,000; Baltimore and Ohio, \$16,985,700; St. Louis and San Francisco, \$15,000,200; Bangor and Aroostook, \$1,761,600, and Old Colony, \$891,700.

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VIADUCT -- GOODLAND

Former Mayor Tells Rotarians He Is Sure Highway Commission Will Help Pay

"Every time you mention the Wisconsin viaduct in the city hall the cost of the project goes up another \$10,000," John Goodland, Jr., former mayor told members of the Rotary club at their weekly luncheon and meeting Tuesday noon. During Mr. Goodland's term as mayor, he helped influence the state highway commission to route highway 41, then state highway 15, over the Cherry-st bridge with the understanding that it would be routed over Richmond-st and Wisconsin-ave as soon as a subway was built under the railroad and interurban tracks on E. Wisconsin-ave.

FIRST REQUEST REFUSED

When the movement to route highway 11 over Wisconsin-ave was first started a hearing was held before the railroad commission asking that body to order a grade separation. Mr. Goodland said, "The request was refused on the grounds that the railroad was not financially able to pay their share. When the second hearing was held in 1925 the grade separation was ordered and tentative plans prepared."

It also was agreed that Wisconsin-ave should be paved and county aid to the extent of \$25,000 was promised by the board of supervisors. This amount was to apply to paving as far as Calmes corners, according to Mr. Goodland and it was further agreed that the county would assume the entire cost of paving from the corners to N. Lemmings-st. Residents on Wisconsin-ave cannot pay for an 8 inch concrete pavement 36 feet wide, the speaker said, and for that reason the city should try to get all the aid possible.

were not necessary. In the first instance he asked why the sewer was necessary when drainage water might easily be run into the ravine for the present, and later, if conditions warranted, it could be drained into a sewer trunk which eventually will be built in the ravine.

There are no \$25,000 retaining walls on Mason-st beneath the viaduct there Mr. Goodland said, and there was no reason why such a sum should be spent at Wisconsin-ave. Wing walls might be necessary on the east side of the structure, he said, and then estimated the city's share in the project at \$45,819 for digging, paving, drainage and the retaining walls.

EXPECTS STATE AID

In answer to Mayor Rule's recent statement that the state highway commission will not pay \$40,000 as its share of the city's cost, Mr. Goodland read from a letter dated April 2, 1926, in which the commission agreed to pay an amount not to exceed one half the amount not assessed against the railroad and not more than one fourth the total cost of the improvement.

Mr. Goodland maintained that the commission had never backed down on an agreement.

Building a highway on the north side of the railroad track will not eliminate the danger at the crossing, Mr. Goodland said in closing. People in the north end of the city will use the street and the east side of the city needs building up. As an example of what can be expected he pointed to the growth along Mason-st because of the new pavement.

Before concluding, the speaker permitted several members of his audience to ask questions relating to various phases of the proposed improvement. Mr. Goodland closed the discussion with the parting shot that when the viaduct is finally completed and the pavements laid the whole thing will not cost the city more than \$25,000.

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The speaker launched into a discussion of the proposed new highway on the north side of the railroad tracks. He estimated the distance from Appleton to McCarthy's crossing as 12 miles and the cost of paving alone at \$28,000 a mile.

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Nicholas Soussanin, the serious faced Russian, wins new laurels with a strong portrayal of Hoffman, the theatrical producing genius. Arlette Marchal and Arthur Housman add strength to an excellent cast.

There is not a dull moment in "The Spotlight." The story is far above the ordinary. There's a real plot in abundance. There is humor, and there

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Chumps	5 16 258
Whiz Bangs	3 15 167

TUESDAY GAMES

Lucky Strikes 3, Chumps 0.	
Doodle Doo 3, Whiz Bangs 0.	
Hit 'Em Miss 3, Cracker Jacks 0.	
Zig Zags 2, Hotzy Totzy 1.	
Noe Equals 2, Mac B's 1.	

ELKS LADIES LEAGUE

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Doodle Doo	77 89 116 282
F. Ashman	87 74 108 301
V. Ashman	92 74 89 256
M. Gerhardt	91 86 50 236
E. Dunn	202 156 148 500
Handicap	86 86 86 258

Totals

636	507	608	1839
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Whiz Bangs

G. Vogel	55 90 90 235
L. Christ	62 53 76 191
C. Schaefer	105 96 127 328
Hofensperger	74 92 98 264
Becker	100 100 100 300
Handicap	107 107 107 321

Totals

502	538	598	1639
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Chumps

Knapstein	67 52 83 232
Haus	61 77 67 205
E. Reetz	85 77 94 256
Wunderlich	98 85 76 259
E. Reetz	59 91 91 241
Handicap	98 98 98 294

Totals

470	510	509	1291
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Lucky Strikes

G. Monkhan	97 100 78 275
G. Fassbender	92 83 83 258
E. Roen	29 92 75 266
E. Hahn	43 162 84 299
H. Miller	65 65 65 195
Handicap	145 145 145 435

Totals

528	587	571	1406
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Hit 'Em Miss

L. Dunn	170 181 156 497
M. Baum	112 120 96 328
V. Gerou	70 112 104 286
M. Gengler	82 98 88 268
H. Bentz	122 108 121 350
Handicap	42 42 42 126

Totals

597	611	605	1813
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Cracker Packs

E. Pingel	146 98 148 387
M. Steffen	88 113 105 306
M. Wenneman	55 51 55 161
D. Schmidt	96 107 98 296
G. Bitter	100 100 100 300
Handicap	62 62 62 186

Totals

547	526	553	1636
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Zig Zags

L. Gmelner	121 142 132 405
M. Evans	122 115 96 333
A. Abraham	91 68 102 261
E. Pratt	68 105 88 266
Dame	104 93 164 361
Handicap	57 57 57 171

Totals

578	580	649	1807
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Hotzy Totzy

H. Roehl	127 95 151 373
H. Glasnap	162 178 125 465
H. Matka	109 120 122 351
E. Rossmelss	58 56 56 168
L. Roehl	102 146 134 382

Totals

566	595	588	1719
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Mac B's

L. Bestler	90 90 90 270
L. Recker	143 130 98 371
M. Casper	67 74 88 227
E. Ashman	88 80 144 307
M. Bestler	104 179 126 409
Handicap	43 43 43 129

Totals

530	596	587	1713
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Noe Equals

Chemens	98 98 98 294
Blind	100 100 100 300
G. Stier	90 98 84 267
A. Malone	61 78 69 208
M. Jansen	100 105 75 280
Handicap	101 101 101 303

Totals

550	575	527	1652
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R. P. LEAGUE

ON ELKS ALLEYS

Elms	
D. Smith	148 148 157 453
W. Gmelner	131 125 130 386
Shimmler	137 120 145 402
Engel	104 154 120 378
Caball	157 163 178 504
Handicap	6 6 6 18

Totals

639	722	755	2116
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Poplar

Gotchow	103 166 178 447
Bellin	132 139 141 412
Beauleau	126 126 126 378
G. Moislom	109 120 114 343
Segal	115 115 115 345
Handicap	54 54 54 162

Totals

659	720	728	2107
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Pines

A. Bauer	157 132 191 480
M. Lucders	100 131 142 373
T. Neuman	123 124 131 378
W. Schlafer	68 91 123 282
F. Greason	165 194 177 536
Handicap	10 10 10 30

Totals

623	653	771	2089
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Hickories

Brown	143 143 143 429
Young	207 107 107 321
Schwerle	104 78 133 315
Plamen	145 185 137 468
Dr. Goen	151 127 160 438
Handicap	8 8 8 24

Totals

671	619	688	2098
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Naples

G. Gmelner	155 174 165 495
L. Engle	123 152 142 417
Leonard	146 149 149 444
C. Schmidt	164 147 195 506
F. Heineman	194 174 143 511

Totals

539	588	791	2429
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Tamaracks

N. Ryan	118 114 149 381
G. Jackson	113 128 145 486
Hopppner	145 179 155 509
Voght	102 102 102 306
Eschner	125 125 125 375
Handicap	78 78 78 234

Totals

661	778	734	2241
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Willows

F. Hammond	171 194 164 529
Carly	165 165 165 545
E. Root	118 85 136 340
E. Furness	103 103 103 309
W. Meyer	145 177 200 522
Handicap	91 91 91 273

Totals

744	763	908	2515
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Hemlocks

G. Tremlage	222 176 191 589
Schiffeler	119 119 119 357
Schultz	151 151 151 453
Miller	113 113 113 339

Totals

611	611	611	1833
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Handicap

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Totals	804	710	731 2245

Oaks

Jacobson	162	162	162 486
Koepeke	115	115	115 345
R. Schmidt	142	113	89 344
Carlton	125	125	125 375
F. Schlitz	153	140	189 482
Handicap	71	71	71 213

Totals

768	726	751 2245
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Cedars

G. Dame	115	115	115 345
C. Elias	109	109	109 327
Embry	133	133	133 399
H. Schell	131	137	149 417
Dr. Bush	129	129	129 387
Handicap	90	890	90 270

Totals

750	713	738 2201
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RIVERSIDE PAPER LEAGUE

C. Wanke .....	\$1	140	130	351
F. Schmidt .....	\$0	\$2	137	289
L. Kaufman .....	\$3	\$8	\$1	252
Handicap .....	144	144	144	432

Totals

808	765	734 2327
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Steam Plant

E. Murray	151	177	122 450
B. Bell	150	160	148 458
G. Wanka	132	140	130 392
F. Schmidt	80	82	127 359
L. Kaufman	83	88	81 252
Handicap	144	144	144 432

Totals

719	806	747 2266
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Office

H. Krueger	79	77	87
J. Harp	172	93	149
R. Crottean	127	147	95
E. Davis	193	147	137
L. LeRoux	180	178	159
Handicap	125	125	125

Totals

876	767	738
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Finshers

E. Whirly	148	179	149
R. Hersekorn	121	134	163
C. Young	147	99	123

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Handicap

160	119	146
105	126	171
59	59	59
Totals	306	716 810

Wood Yard

M. Gockler	107	135	149
L. Mithaler	162	116	158
M. Kury	134	118	139
J. Duckwey	125	125	125
B. Lother	125	125	125
Handicap	140	140	140

Totals

833	767	836
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Fourdriner

J. Guilfoyle	155	159	154
T. Stark	151	156	153
R. Martin	117	144	123
V. De Decker	136	155	152
J. Kaution	176	163	190
Handicap	16	16	16

Totals

751	798	810
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Cylinder

W. Bloh	175	157	184
R. Kraker	150	126	140
T. Diermeier	126	151	116
I. Zuckack	102	184	145
W. Dessort	153	154	140
Handicap	48	48	48

Totals

814	790	773
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Finshers

E. Whirly	170	170	135
R. Hersekorn	130	160	194
C. Young	140	122	106
P. Laabs	169	211	168
H. Ruklender	189	197	150
Handicap	9	9	9

Totals

859	909	810
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INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE

Post Office				
W. Kositzke .....	155	184	150	489
Campshure .....	147	196	138	481
Grimmer .....	121	206	175	502

Totals

674	646	755 2075
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Post Office

W. Kositzke	155	154	150 459
Campshire	147	196	138 481
Grimmer	121	206	175 502



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# The BENSON MURDER CASE

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**THIS HAS HAPPENED**

Vance eliminates Miss St. Clair as a suspect and prevents Markham from arresting Leacock when Pfyfe's statements strengthen the case against the captain. It is brought out that Pfyfe had forced Alvin Benson's name to a check. Paula Banning admits that she had loaned her jewels to Pfyfe to put up with Benson as security. Heath brings word that Leacock has confessed, and Vance laughs.

**NOW BEGIN THE STORY**

CHAPTER XLII

Heath was feeling too complacently triumphant to be unmoved. He smiled with magnanimous tolerance. "It strikes you as funny, doesn't it, Mr. Vance?"

"Sergeant, if you knew how inordinately funny this confession is, you'd positively have hysterics."

Vance then turned to Markham.

"Really, y' know, I shouldn't put too much stock in this. It may, however, prove a valuable key with which to open the truth. In fact, I'm just glad the Captain has gone in for imaginative literature."

"With this entrancing fable in our possession, I think we can overcome the Major's scruples, and get him to tell us what he knows. Maybe I'm wrong, but it's worth trying."

He stepped to the district attorney's desk, and leaned over it cajolingly.

"I haven't led you astray yet, old dear, and I'm going to make another suggestion. Call up the Major and ask him to come here at once. Tell him you've secured a confession,—but don't you dare say whose."

"Imply it's Miss St. Clair's or Pfyfe's—or Pontius Pilates'. But urge his immediate presence. Tell him you want to discuss it with him before proceeding with the indictment of doing that," objected Markham. "I'm pretty sure to see him at the club tonight, and I can tell him then."

"That wouldn't do at all," insisted Vance. "If the Major can enlighten us on any point, I think Sergeant Heath should be present to hear him."

"I don't need any enlightenment," cut in Heath.

Vance regarded him with admiring surprise.

"What a wonderful man! Even Goethe cried for mehr Licht; and here are you in a state of luminous saturation? ..... Astonishin'!"

"See here, Vance," said Markham: "why try to complicate the matter? It strikes me as a waste of time, besides being an imposition, to ask the Major here to discuss Leacock's confession. We don't need his evidence now, anyway."

Despite his fruffness there was a hint of reconsideration in his voice; for though his instinct had been to dismiss the request out of hand, the experiences of the past few days had taught him that Vance's suggestions were not without an object.

Vance, sensing the other's hesitancy, said:

"My request is based on something more than an idle desire to gaze upon the Major's rubicund features at this moment. I'm telling you, with all the meagre earnestness I possess, that his presence here now would be most helpful."

Markham deliberated, and argued the point at some length. But Vance was so persistent that in the end he was convinced of the advisability of complying.

Heath was patently disgusted, but he sat down quietly, and sought solace in a cigar.

Major Benson arrived with astonishing promptness, and when Markham handed him the confession, he made little attempt to conceal his eagerness.

But as he read it his face clouded, and a look of puzzlement came into his eyes.

At length he looked up, frowning.

"I don't quite understand this; and I'll admit I'm greatly surprised. It doesn't seem credible that Leacock shot Alvin.... And yet, I may be mistaken, of course."

He laid the confession on Markham's desk with an air of disappointment, and sank into a chair.

"Do you feel satisfied?" he asked.

"I don't see any way around it," said Markham. "If he isn't guilty, why should he come forward and confess? God knows, there's plenty of evidence against him. I was ready to arrest him two days ago."

"He's guilty all right," put in Heath. "I've had my eyes on him from the first."

Major Benson did not reply at once; he seemed to be framing his next words.

"It might be—that is, there's the bare possibility—that Leacock had an ulterior motive in confessing."

Well, I think, recognized the

that Vance had reason to be convinced of something which as yet he was unwilling to divulge.

His opposition to Vance's requests were, I had suspected, largely the result of an effort to ascertain this information; and I was positive of it now as he leaned forward and gravely

debated the advisability of making public the Captain's confession. (To Be Continued)

The treasury department recently destroyed \$500,000 in counterfeit money which had been captured by the Secret Service over a long period. There were 20,000 counterfeit coins.

ARMY G. Hussner succeeds Capt. Volney S. Barnes of Waupaca. Other officers chosen were Ted Xistrix, Appleton, first vice president; Dr. H. L. Playman, Appleton, second vice president; Omar Gruet, Appleton, secretary-treasurer; Capt. E. H. Grande, Appleton, Capt. Volney S. Barnes, Waupaca and Capt. J. K. Campbell, Appleton, directors.

The chapter has started a United States government correspondence course at Army G with meetings being held every Friday evening at 7 o'clock. At present the men are studying late changes made in the

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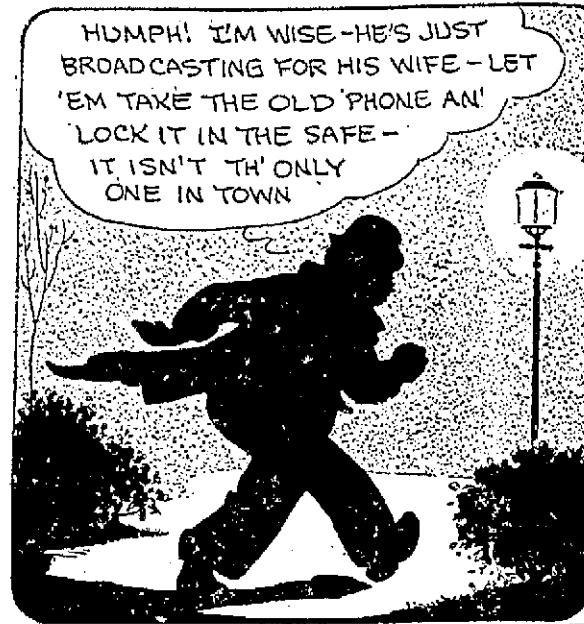
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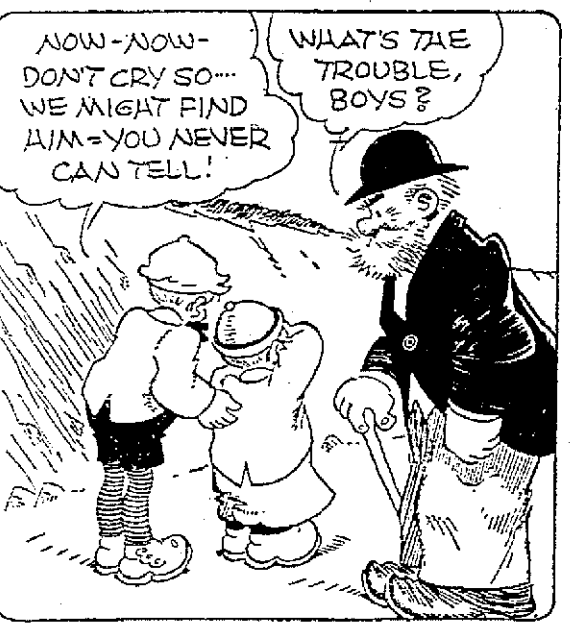
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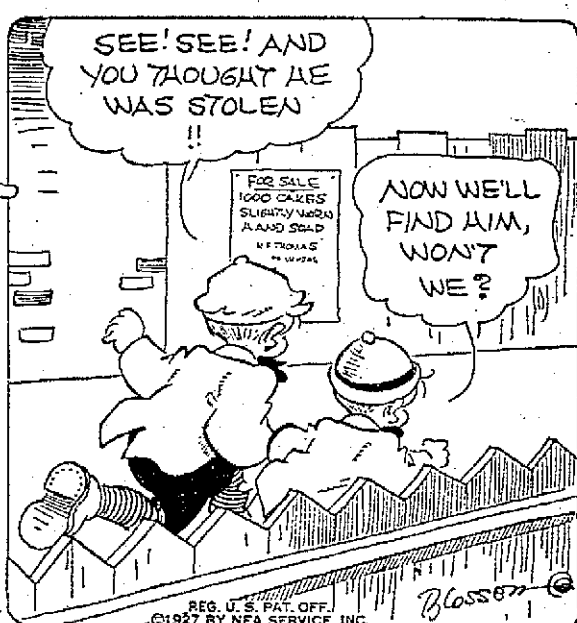
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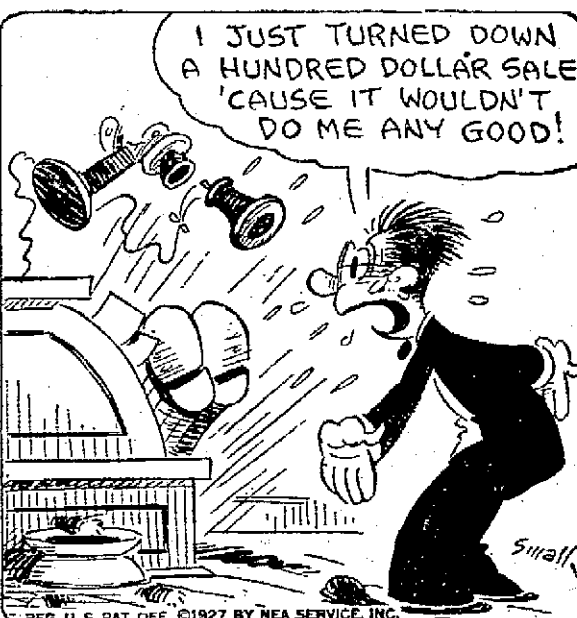
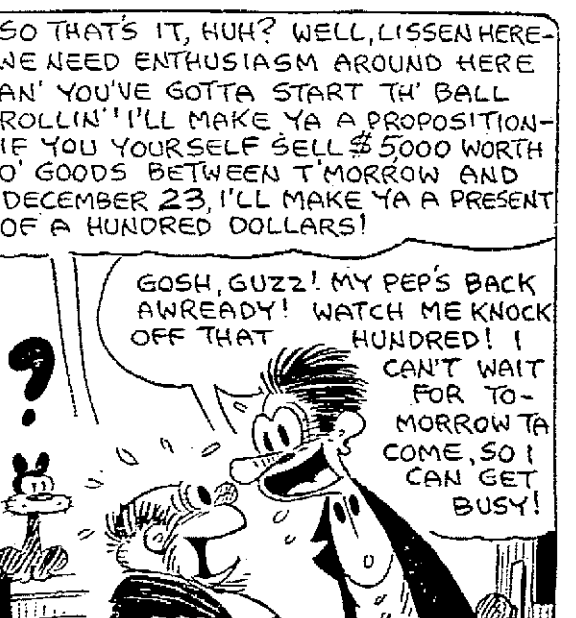
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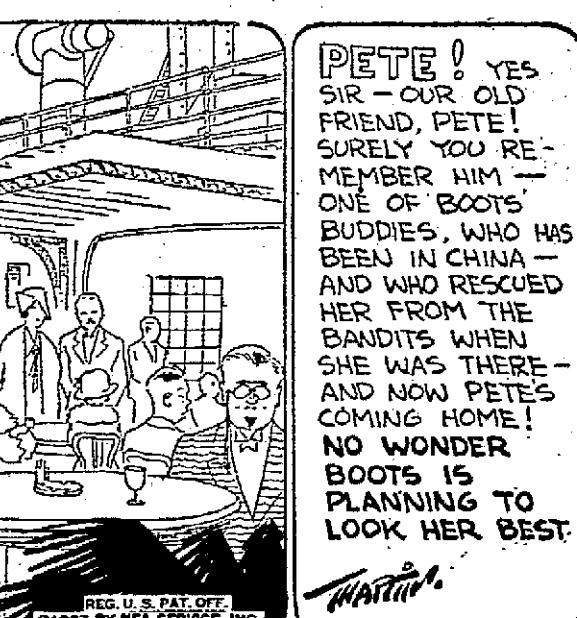
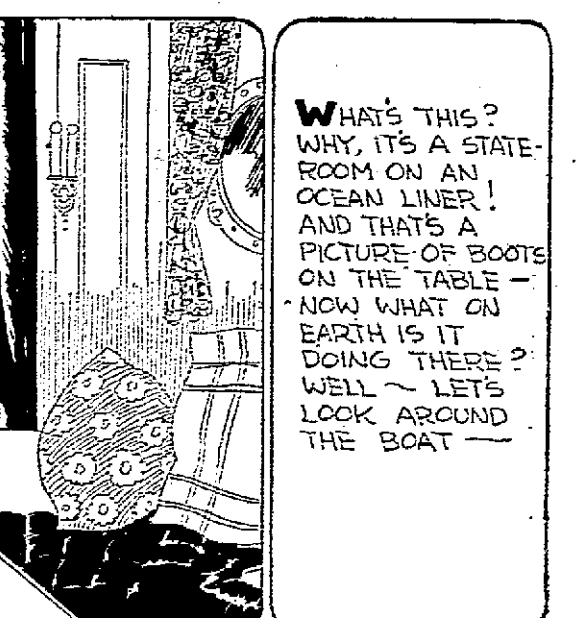
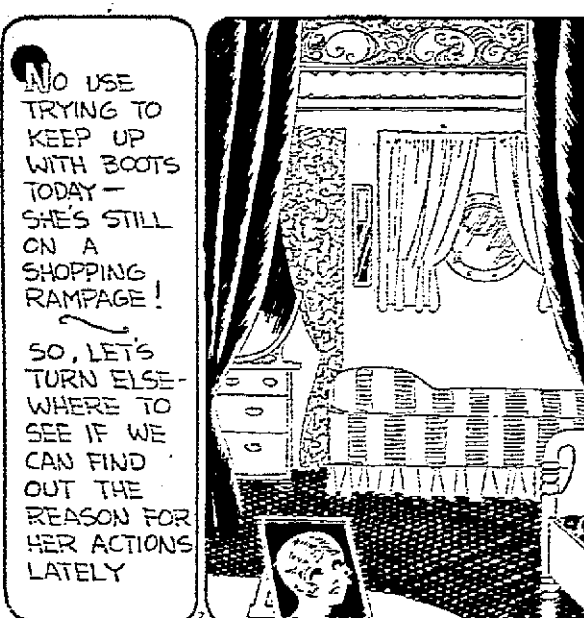
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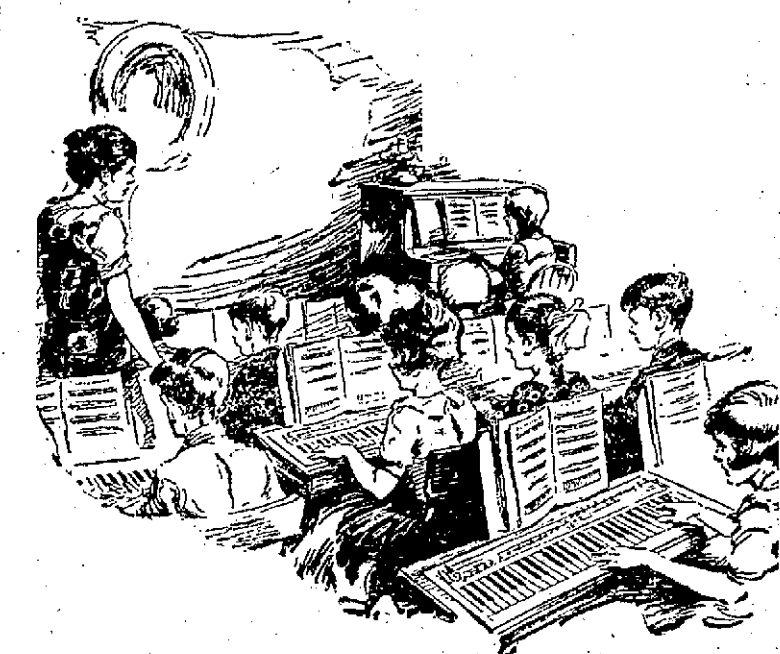
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JACK LOCKWILL BACK AT ROCKLAKE



The puffing report and the dazzling glare, which came from a flame that leaped up and vanished, gave those unmasked boys a benumbing shock. Price Hargon, the leader, was the first to recover. He had seen one fellow who still wore a hood and stood apart from the others. "Look there!" cried Price. "There he is! And he's taken a flashlight snapshot!"



"You're right, Hargon, old cheese!" confirmed the unknown. "I've got the Anti-Lockwill League! I've mugged the bunch unmasked and holding your pretty hoods."



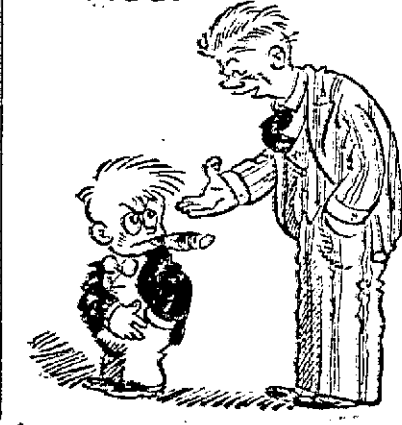
Then the still disguised boy likewise unmasked. The laughter-wreathed face of Jack Lockwill was exposed. "This is Custard's nightcap," he said, waving his hood.



"Grab him!" shouted Hargon. "Don't let him get away with this! Smash that camera!" Leaping forward, he met a surprise. Instead of dodging, Lockwill plunged into him like a battering-ram, and sent him sprawling. "Center rush!" whooped Jack joyfully, as he smashed Cub Maddox down and went ripping through the others, knocking them right and left. (To Be Continued)

LITTLE JOE

### DISTANT RELATIVES ARE SOMETIMES CLOSE.



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### THAT'S ALL RIGHT

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WAUPACA COUNTY NEW LONDON-CLINTONVILLE-WAUPACA NEARBY TOWNS

CHURCH GROUPS ARE PLANNING CHRISTMAS FETES AT NEW LONDON

Rehearsals Now Being Held in Departments of Religious Institutions

Special to Post-Crescent  
New London—Work on Christmas programs has already been begun at the various churches, especially those programs given by Sunday school students. Rehearsals have been held for primary children at the First Congregational church. Mrs. H. P. Freeling, who is assisting with the annual program, states that no contest will be given this year. A mixed program is being substituted. One of the interesting features will be the living Christmas tree, which was presented last year by the girls of the Sunday school. In this the faces of the girls, each wearing a hood of green, appeared in a tree shaped form, colored lights simulating the idea of the lighted Christmas tree. The children sang carols and the effect was a beautiful one.

The committee in charge of the program and party at the First Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. Eva Dawson on Tuesday evening to work out details for a program and party to be given on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 17, by the members of the primary grades of the Sunday school. A party will follow the program which all parents of the Sunday school children are asked to attend. The committee consists of Mrs. Dawson, superintendent of the primary department, Miss Blanche Hall, assistant superintendent, Mrs. V. W. Bell, general superintendent, and Miss Alice Willsoughby, primary teacher. Willis Miller, superintendent of the Sunday school, and the Rev. V. W. Bell are in charge of a pageant to be given by the upper grades of the Sunday school.

MASON ADDRESSES LIONS AT CLINTONVILLE MEET

New London—Carl Mason of this city was guest of honor and speaker at the club luncheon of the Rotarians at Clintonville on Monday. Mr. Mason spoke upon Indian life in the southwest, especially the Pueblo, Hopi and Navajo tribes, telling many interesting incidents learned through his visits to the villages of the various tribes. He gave statistics which showed the Indian a dying race, but rather a race increasing year by year at the same time developing a consciousness of their rights as Americans. Living as they do on lands rich in natural resources they are becoming rich and powerful, and their power presents a growing problem to the United States, it was pointed out. The speaker stated that the best way to face the problem was to continue to educate Indians, treating them meanwhile as human individuals, in an endeavor to cope with inborn nature of the race should they ever assert themselves against the white man.

FRANK NELSON ELECTED HEAD OF MASONIC LODGE

Special to Post-Crescent  
New London—The annual election of officers of the Masonic lodge No. 131 F. and A. M. was held at the Masonic Temple Tuesday evening. The following members were elected to fill the offices for the ensuing year: Frank Nelson, W. M.; Frank Alber, S. W.; The Rev. Henry P. Freeling, J. W. F. L. Zaug, treasurer; A. I. Vergove, secretary, and James Cottrill, trustee for 3 years.

FIELD WORKER TELLS OF FIGHT TO STOP DISEASE

New London—Jacob Van Kooy of Milwaukee, field representative of the Wisconsin Anti-Tuberculosis association, was guest of honor and speaker at the weekly meeting of the Lions club Tuesday night in the club rooms at the Elwood hotel. Mr. Van Kooy spoke in detail of the work of the organization from the time of its organization in 1908, as the result of an experience of a prominent New York physician with the fresh air cure of the disease. When given up to die, according to the speaker, this physician went into the mountains for a year and lived entirely out in the open, returning completely cured. He then bent his efforts toward assisting others to reap the benefits of his experience.

MISS GENEVA LEEMAN IS BRIDE AT WRIGHTSTOWN

Leeman—Geneva A. Leeman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Letman of the town of Nain, was married to Roland W. Rusch, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Rusch, of Kaukauna, at the Lutheran parsonage at Wrightstown, at 2 o'clock on Nov. 26. The Rev. Netzman performed the ceremony. The attendants were Violet Carver and Harold Rusch.

NEW LONDON PERSONALS

Special to Post-Crescent  
New London—Mrs. Otto Papendorf of Marion, is a guest this week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Elmer Green. Monday guests at the Green home were Mrs. Samuel Wilch of Dale and Robert Timm of Appleton.

Mrs. Harley Heath, who has been confined to her bed during the past week with a severe attack of grippe, is reported to be convalescing nicely and is able to be up again.

Mrs. Cash Montgomery, 82, is seriously ill with pleurisy at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Lipke.

Word has been received here of the illness of William Stittgen of Milwaukee, well-known here through his visits at the Charles Abrams home. Mr. Stittgen submitted to an operation at a Milwaukee hospital this week and will be confined there for about a month. Mrs. Stittgen was formerly Miss Catherine Abrams of this city.

Mrs. Julia Bowers of Milwaukee, is a guest this week at the home of her sister, Mrs. Harley Heath.

W. E. Sherrin of Milwaukee, land agent for Wisconsin Telephone Co., was a business visitor in this city Tuesday.

NEW LONDON SOCIETY

Special to Post-Crescent  
New London—Members of the Women's Study club will entertain their friends at their regular meeting designated as guest day Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock at Mrs. C. D. Feathers. The following program will be given: Roll call; current topic, Mrs. F. A. Jennings; music, selected; Victor Herbert, biography and selections. Mrs. H. B. Crispy; Edward McDowell, biography and selections. Mrs. E. L. Reuter. A social hour will follow the program, the serving committee consisting of Mesdames C. D. Feathers, G. W. Demming, F. J. Pfeiffer, M. C. Trayer, E. L. Reuter, F. L. Zaug, R. J. McMahon, M. L. Mahan, F. A. Jennings and F. W. Cornelius.

Mrs. Fay R. Smith was hostess to the Tuesday Bridge club at her home this week. Guests at this meeting were Mrs. F. E. Lowell and Mrs. E. W. Wendlandt. Mrs. G. W. Werner will entertain the club at the meeting next week.

The members of the Autumn Leaf club met at the home of Mrs. Henry Smith Tuesday afternoon. Prizes at five hundred were awarded to Mrs. C. Seims who held high score. Mrs. Edward Jagoditsch, second high, and Mrs. Otto Lemke, low. The annual Christmas party is being planned for the next meeting which will be held at the home of Mrs. Arthur Sweeney Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 27. Mrs. Arthur Zeimer was a guest of the club at this week's meeting.

Mrs. Page Dexter was hostess to the Sisters Bridge club Tuesday afternoon. The prize for high score was won by Mrs. Ralph Restle. Mrs. Henry Lippold will entertain the club next week.

A social gathering of members of the local organization of the Womans Benevolent association will be held Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Anthony Joubert, for the purpose of organizing a new club which will be known as the Westly club.

The annual election of officers of the Womans Relief corps will be held Friday afternoon, Dec. 9.

Friends of Mrs. Elizabeth Dexter assembled at her new home on Wyman street Monday afternoon for a housewarming. 17 guests being present. The afternoon was spent assisting "Grandma" Dexter in settling her home. Those present were Mesdames Stafford Bolinski, William Schimke, Arthur Georges, Emil Gruentzel, Ruben Gruentzel, Russel Koenig, Elmer Jannet, Edward Stinson, Lylo Stinson, Page Dexter, Austin Dexter, Wilbur Dexter, Claude Dexter, Ignatius Polaski and Anna Schoenrock.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL ITEMS FROM ROYALTON

Royalton—Mrs. George Humes went to Fond du Lac on Monday where she entered St. Agnes hospital to submit to an operation on Thursday.

Andy Clason, the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clason, Jr. is very ill with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen G. Wilcox are in New London this week, visiting at the homes of their son, Albert Wilcox, and family and daughter, Mrs. Ernest Clason and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Casey and daughter, Carol, spent the weekend with relatives in Almond.

Mrs. T. I. Dean has returned from Oshkosh after a week in the home of her son Ralph.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Running on Saturday.

Announcements have been received of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Summerfield of Milwaukee, formerly of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dean and son Kermit of Oshkosh, spent the weekend at the Frances Dean home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hushberger and son, and Mr. Jennings of Manawa and Frank Heston of Gary Ind. were at Arthur Ritchie on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Oscar Haght was hostess to the Hobart Domestic club on Friday. These contributing literary numbers after the regular business session were Mrs. Margaret Park, Mrs. Haght and Miss Lettie Ryeburn. Plans were made for Christmas observance of the future of the Hobart club. There was a discussion on the proposed federation of all rural clubs on Waupaca co. As the Hobart club is one of the oldest in the county it is lauding this movement.

LEAGUE REELECTS WALTHER OFFICERS

Changes Arrangements for Monthly Meetings and Plans for Christmas

Special to Post-Crescent  
New London—The Junior Walther league of the Emanuel Lutheran church met at the school house on Tuesday evening for the annual election of officers, Norman Sonnett, being reelected as president of the society.

Miss Irma Kussorow, as vice president, and Miss Edla Tesch, as secretary-treasurer, the two offices being combined. Miss Hildegard Paap was elected corresponding secretary, and Miss Anita Roloff was named as librarian. The entertainment committee consists of three members, Miss Gertrude Neurtz, and Miss Adella Roloff being reelected, while Miss Mildred Roos, will serve as a new member of the committee.

It was planned that two meetings instead of one will be held monthly. The first Tuesday of the month will be reserved for business and social sessions, while the third Tuesday will be devoted to educational sessions. Lunches will be served at all meetings after Christmas.

The educational work of the league is conducted as a course of study prescribed by the headquarters department at Chicago. Bible study receives attention. At the meeting held on Tuesday evening a letter was read by the president recently received by the state department at Stevens Point complimenting the local junior league officers upon being the only ones to answer in an entirely efficient manner the questionnaires recently sent out.

PLAN FOR CHRISTMAS

Christmas plans of the junior league include gift booklets which are to be the first item in the program. A collection of familiar hymns will be bound and distributed with suitable greetings to the "shut-ins" of the church. Plans were also made for filling 400 sacks of candy and nuts at a meeting to be held on Thursday evening, Dec. 22.

At this meeting the members of the choir will also assemble to trim the Christmas tree. A sleigh ride party will be given by the juniors soon after Christmas, and a play will be given sometime in January.

At a recent meeting of the American Lutheran league it was formally voted to pay \$485 as a cash price for a new moving picture machine. This machine will soon be ordered by a committee headed by Arno Zitzke, and will be used in presenting films of various kinds for the entertainment of league members and their friends.

Members of the Ladies Aid society have voted to pay the necessary amount toward reconditioning the pipe organ. H. C. Henning of Oshkosh, will arrive in the city next Monday, and will probably remain here a week at work on the instrument. The main defect is the slow action. The distance of the console from the pipes tends toward a slow action, and it is thought that moving the console several feet closer will eliminate this trouble.

EXTINGUISH FIRE IN CAB OF LOCOMOTIVE

Clintonville Woman's Club Plans Christmas Party at Perkins-Home

Special to Post-Crescent  
Clintonville—The fire department was called to the round house between 2:30 and 10 o'clock Monday evening to extinguish a blaze in the cab of an engine, reported to be the passenger engine on the Shawano branch, which had been run in for the night. It is surmised that when the fire was drawn from the fire-box and fresh coals and kindling placed for rebuilding fire the next morning, a live coal may have been dropped. A similar fire occurred in much the same manner about two months ago, causing greater damage than did the fire on Monday evening. The canvass covering over the door was burned and the entire cab was injured to such an extent that it is said to be temporarily out of commission.

The Woman's club met at the home of Mrs. Otto Zachow on Monday. Roll call consisted of a description of Christmas in many lands. Each member had been assigned some country, and in response to her name she outlined briefly the manner in which Christmas is celebrated in that country. A recitation was given by Evelyn Bothwell and piano selections were given by June Spearbaker and Glen Ace Carlson. At the next meeting of the club on Dec. 19, a Christmas party will be held at the home of Mrs. E. J. Perkins. Each member will bring a gift and draw the name of some other member upon arriving at the party, thus making an exchange of gifts. The committee in charge of the entertainment is Mrs. Blair, Mrs. Perkins and Mrs. Gibson. The refreshment committee, Mrs. Larson, Mrs. Zachow, and Mrs. Sorenson.

The city bowling team from Clintonville went to New London on Monday evening and for the second time within a week defeated the New London team. The scores:

Clintonville

Hanzartner	125	207	212	355
Piehl	130	223	183	536
Murphy	124	154	178	478
Zastrow	122	148	177	527
Lang	124	178	170	540
Totals	\$88	238	\$20	2696

Garols Allies

Lesch	127	217	181	525
Polaski	128	171	174	473
Ladwig	160	184	155	499
Stern	138	155	179	527
Garol	210	194	154	558
Totals	\$69	961	\$48	2513

Another Big Nite at Valley Queen Next Sunday. Hot Music.

UNION CHURCH SERVICE PROVING BIG SUCCESS

Special to Post-Crescent  
Clintonville—The Sunday evening union church services being held in this city are being well attended.

This week's sermon was delivered by the Rev. Ben Plopper, pastor of the Methodist church at Shawano, to an audience of between two and three hundred people.

The service was directed by the Rev. A. A. Bennett, pastor of the local Methodist church. Prayer was offered by the Rev. Moland of Bethany, followed by scripture reading by the Rev. O. Bernhardt of the Evangelical church and the offertory prayer and benediction were given by the Rev. N. E. Sinninger of the Congregational church.

At the meeting of the Epworth League which preceded the church service the young people from the Rev. Plopper's church at Shawano were guests of the local Epworth League. A six o'clock luncheon was served by the young people in the church dining rooms, and a short social period enjoyed, and this was followed by the devotional meeting. Seventy-five young people were in attendance.

The choir for the church service was composed of members from the various churches, while the special number was a solo by Mrs. Walter Lang.

Funeral services for Warren Parker, world war veteran, were held at the Congregational church Sunday afternoon at 2:30 conducted by the Rev. N. E. Sinninger.

Suffering from a complication of diseases, he had been removed from his home in this city to the general hospital of the National Soldiers' home at Milwaukee, through efforts of the American Legion on the Sunday preceding his death. He was accompanied to Milwaukee by his wife and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Steinbock.

Warren Parker was born at Belle Plaine, April 1, 1888. He worked on the farm until he was married, in 1907, to Miss Anderson also of Belle Plaine. After a short time they moved to North Dakota, where they resided until 1918 when they returned to Wisconsin and Mr. Parker enlisted in the army early that spring. He spent one year over seas, and was in service in the front lines in France. He returned in June 1919, coming at that time to Clintonville to live. Since then he has spent two summers in Pennsylvania, driving truck and about one year in Shelby, but had never been well since leaving the service. When obliged to give up active work, he was driving a truck for the Clintonville Milk company. Surviving are his wife and one son, George Wilbur, and one brother, Alfred Parker of Milwaukee.

The American legion attended the services in a body, accompanying the funeral to Belle Plaine where burial was made.

A one o'clock luncheon followed by an afternoon of bridge at which fourteen tables were in play was given at the Ward hotel Saturday afternoon by Mrs. Charles Beedle, Mrs. William Schultz and Mrs. E. A. Miller. Each table was decorated with baby chrysanthemums in yellow. Prizes were received by Mrs. A. E. Roberts, Mrs. E. J. Perkins, Mrs. Charles Holman, Mrs. Mary Joseph Stein, and Mrs. A. J. Bohr.

Among those driving to Appleton to spend Sunday were Dr. and Mrs. James Devine, Mr. and Mrs. Orre Williams, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brooks and Pat sy, Dr. and Mrs. George Spang, Evan Vaughan and Miss Edith La Monde.

Invitations for a party to be held at the Columbia hotel Thursday afternoon have been issued by Mrs. James McKenzie, Mrs. Wallace Garfield, and Mrs. G. A. Wurli.

ITEMS OF INTEREST TO DALE AND ITS VICINITY

Special to Post-Crescent  
Dale—There will be services at St. Joseph church at 10:30 Thursday morning, Dec. 7.

Mrs. Dan Leppla of Appleton, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Julia Leppla, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. William Behm were given a surprise party Saturday evening, it being their fortieth wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Detman and Miss L. Johnson of Chicago, spent the week end with relatives here.

Irma Krenke has accepted a position as clerk at Zachow's store.

Mrs. C. Friborn of Winnebago, spent last week at the H. Borgwardt home.

Anita Grossman and Wilma Versteegen of Appleton, were guests of June Grossman Thursday.

Peter Dorschner and family have moved to Appleton to live.

John Leppla and Gust Kannenberg spent the past two weeks at Beach, N. D.

Lora and Viola Beck spent Sunday at Waupaca. Fred Winkelman shot a black fox in the woods south of Dale. The value of the pelt has not been determined.

Mrs. A. L. Fritsch attended a get-together meeting of the correspondents of the Appleton Post-Crescent Thursday afternoon ending with a banquet at the Hotel Northern.

The Reformed and St. Pauls Lutheran churches are preparing for a Christmas program by the Sunday schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reinholdt who have been visiting at the Dave Hanselman home left Monday, Nov. 23, for their home in Sentinel Butte, N. D. Relatives here received word that in North Dakota they encountered six inches of snow and had much cold weather. The letter was mailed at Valley City, N. D.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sterns and Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Skye were guests at the C. L. Christensen home Sunday.

HONOR STUDENTS ARE NAMED FOR 6 WEEKS

Christmas Carol to Be Presented by Dramatic Club at Waupaca Next Monday

Special to Post-Crescent  
Waupaca—The following students received standings of 90 or over for the past six weeks of school work: Freshmen—James Luther, Marian Kratz, Belva Stratton, Ralph Durant, Paul Hart, Donald Monson, and Margaret Dautson; Sophomores—Margaret Miller, Bernice Kregel, Benula Nurse, Howard Nuss, Lucille Buelow, Myron Nelson, Kenneth Glover, Elaine Terry, and Donald Luther. Juniors—Evelyn Nicolson, Billy Koonitz, Aleine Miller, Clifford Quimby, Florence Hansen, Irene Craig, and Rocella Christensen. Seniors—Edward Hart, Harold Monson, Ruth Falgatter and Albert Anderson.

A Christmas Carol, adapted from Charles Dickens immortal story is the play that the dramatic club will present Dec. 12. The cast has been chosen and rehearsals started.

The following characters have been chosen: Ebenezer Scrooge, Reginald Randall; Bob Cratchit, Oliver Stratton; Fred, Alvin Rogers. Two mission ladies—Marian and Marjorie Pope; The Ghost of Jacob Marley, Kenneth Hetzer; First Spirit, Dorothy Decker; Second Spirit, Mae Hickman; Third Spirit, Genevieve Austin; First Walt-Gordon Nelson; Mr. Fezziwig, Dorothy Johnson; Ebenezer, Irving Trinnard; Dick, Norman Jorgenson; Bill, Bengta Antohson; Mrs. Cratchit, Rocella Christensen; Belinda, Dorothy Roehr; Martha, Myrtle Petersen; Peter, Norman Jorgenson; Bob, Edwin Emmons; Betty, Eunice Harrington.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wagner, spent Sunday at Ladysmith where they visited friends.

C. L. Bacher, county superintendent of schools, gave an address at the meeting of the Men's club at Rural, Friday evening.

The F. S. G. club were entertained at the home of Mrs. J. I. White on Tuesday evening.

Harley Darrow and Gretha Doerfer spent Sunday at Oshkosh.

Mrs. Walter Sheldon of New London visited Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Sheldon, Berlin, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Halverson spent Sunday with friends at Iowa and Ancker.

The Lions club held their regular weekly luncheon at the Inn Hotel Monday noon. After the luncheon a short business meeting was held and the remainder of the time spent in singing.

Bishop Charles Edward Locke of St. Paul will conduct the services at the Waupaca M. E. church Sunday, Dec. 11. Bishop Locke is the resident bishop of the St. Paul area, which includes the states of Wisconsin, Iowa, Minnesota, North Dakota and South Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Hofman motored to Iowa Sunday where they visited the latter's sister, Mrs. L. A. Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Skye entertained the local Horsehoes club Tuesday evening at their home on Division street. The members of this club include all horsehoes in Waupaca county that belong to the state association.

The Bazaar and sale held Saturday by the ladies of the Methodist church proved very successful. A chicken pie supper was served to a large crowd and the church treasury was enriched to the extent of \$350.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sterns and Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Skye were guests at the C. L. Christensen home Sunday.

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SHIOCTON JUNIORS TO PRESENT PLAY FRIDAY

Special to Post-Crescent  
Shiocton—The junior class of the Shiocton high school will present its play at the high school auditorium Friday evening, Dec. 9. The play is entitled "The Big Cheese."

The cast follows: Ted Spratt, a telegraph messenger—Laura Winterfeldt; Mabel Hogan, "The Voice with a Smile"—Jeanette Pierce; Samuel Brewster, president of the Brewster Cheese Co.—Martin Van Patten; Bob Brewster, son of Samuel Brewster—Ernest Henry; Wallie Larkin, pretended captain of industry—Mozzo Pierce; Betty Brewster, Samuel Brewster's daughter—Lillian Colson; Verma Callaway, who can find romance in cheese—Esther Laird; Doris Bancroft, whose arrival creates consternation—Emma Schwanndt.

Eighteen students consist of the honor roll for the second six week period of the Shiocton high school, the majority being girls. Following is the list:

Seniors  
Mildred Braatz, 94.55  
Idella Vanderhoof, 93.25

Juniors  
Jeanette Pierce, 94.23  
Alice Robin, 92.75  
Esther Ir, 91.25  
Dorothy Laird, 90.75  
Laura Winterfeldt, 90.50  
Frances Andrews, 90.25  
Adeline Becker, 90.00

Sophomores  
Madge Henry, 92.75  
Percy Braatz, 92.55  
Nyles Manley, 92.00  
Bernice Kline, 90.50

Freshmen  
Kathryn Thorpe, 92.50  
Moritz Gruent, 91.50  
Tim Main, 90.50  
Walter Sawyer, 90.00  
Gertrude Lutz, 90.00

Miss Evelyn Rousseau entertained several friends and school mates at a party at her home Friday evening. Guests present were Misses Kathryn Thorpe, Evelyn McCully, Marjorie Genske, June Foster, Charlotte Eise, Florence Eyer, Hazel Blick, Lydia Dorsey Phil and Herbert Palmer, Tim Main, Percy Braatz, Charles DeLong, Charles Middleton, Russell Omholt, Nyles Manley, Lawrence Gikley, Walter Sawyer, Clemence Thorpe, Kenneth Meating and James Dorsey. The evening was spent in playing games.

Miss Emma Schwanndt entertained the Happy Hexagon club at her home this week.

Subby Miller of Shiocton will wrestle Kid Green of Appleton Wednesday evening, Dec. 6 at the Black Creek auditorium. Mr. Miller has won every match he has engaged in so far this season. The program will also consist of preliminary bouts.

The junior dance given at the high school auditorium Friday evening was attended by a fair sized crowd of young people.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Lock were

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at Appleton Saturday where they visited the latter's mother, Mrs. Christ Ludwig, who is a patient at St. Elizabeth's hospital.

Clinton Mack and Mike Bedor were at Appleton Saturday and returned with Mr. Bedor's son, Elmer, who has been a patient at St. Elizabeth's hospital the past week, having submitted to an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Williams and son, Wayne, returned Tuesday from Ishpeming, Mich., where they were cutting Christmas trees.

Miss June Pooler was called to Black Creek Friday evening by the death of her grandfather.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Anson and son of Huron, S. D., are visiting at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Elmore Anson.

Miss Bernice Andrews and Muriel McLaughlin were Appleton shoppers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Locke of Oshkosh were callers at the home of Norman Williams Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McLaughlin and Mr. and Mrs. Hiller were Appleton callers Monday.

J. L. McCully of Milwaukee spent the weekend at the home of his brother, D. J. McCully.

Ben Williams, student at Marquette university, Milwaukee, spent Saturday with friends here.

Lyle McCully, James Colburn and William Sommerfield were Appleton callers Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Rose Rousseau and son of New London were Sunday visitors at the home of the former's son, Albert Rousseau.

Mrs. Vera Meating spent Sunday at New London.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Strong were New London visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Clarence Booth of Iowa visited Mrs. Sarah Booth this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Braatz spent last weekend with relatives at Tigerton.

Misses Edna Dietzler, Edna Greenwaldt and Madelyn Morse returned to Kaukauna Sunday evening, having spent the weekend at their homes in the village.

By delivering gold from the rich Altan fields of Siberia by airplanes in a few hours instead of by train, which requires several days, development in that territory has been stimulated.

To His Honor the Mayor and Common Council, Gentlemen:—

I herewith submit the following report covering receipts and expenses for the month of November, 1927.

Balance on hand Oct. 31, 1927 ..... \$313,817.42

Receipts

GENERAL FUND—	
Public Grds. & Bldgs.	113.58
Miscellaneous Fund	16,980.33
Poor Dept.	58.45
Fire Dept.	15.31
Highways & Bridges	150.92
Municipal Court Fines	571.00
Loan from Bank	15,000.00
Corrected error by bank (Loan cashed)	25,000.00
Int. on deposits	244.57
Miscellaneous Permits	159.50
Cigarette License	20.00
Dance License	45.00
Peddler's License	9.00
Milk License	7.00
	58,351.06
St. Paving	5.09
Public Schools	35,200.11
Vocational School	52.60
Library	97.42
Firemen's Pension	42.29
Police Pension	144.52
Water Wks.	13,883.51
Water Works Reserve	48.68
Park Board	16.98
St. Paving Certif.	246.82
	108,056.08
Grand Total	421,878.50

DISBURSEMENTS—	
General Fund	35,150.09
Public Schools	35,586.09
Voc. School	5,555.81
Library	1,496.15
Police Pension	145.16
Firemen's Pension	317.58
Park Board	9,178.16
Water Wks.	21,395.65
F. E. Bachman, Treas. a-c St. Paving	1,085.21
Certif.	67.50
Water Wks. Bond Int.	63.76
Park Board Bond Int.	538.00
St. Paving	110,837.16
TO BALANCE—	
On deposit in First Nat'l Bank to credit of City Treas. all Funds	206,928.57
Cash in office	500.00
BONDS AND INVESTMENTS—	
Police Pension	5,211.65
Firemen's Pension	22,893.12
Library Endowment	500.00
Water Wks. Fd.	75,000.00
Grand Total	421,878.50

Balance of funds represented as follows:	
Investments	Cash
General Fund	38,510.81
Public Schools	5,582.07
Vocational School	26,584.99
Library	4,646.08
Police Pension	1,269.15
Firemen's Pension	3,305.59
Park Board	6,159.87
Water Wks.	75,000.00
Park Board Int.	3,276.67
Water Wks. Reserve	384.99
Water Wks. Bond Int.	44,059.85
F. E. Bachman, Treas.	103,166.25
J. H. S. Bond Int.	350.60
St. Paving	3,130.35
	103,607.77
	207,428.57
	103,607.77
	311,036.34

Respectfully submitted, F. E. BACHMAN, City Treasurer

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- 1-COWS—To freshen and soon. Tel. 3655-R3.
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Store Hours—9 A. M. to 5:30 P. M.

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## Silk-and-Wool Sweaters In Slip-on Style \$2.95

Have you thought of a sweater as an appropriate Christmas gift? One of the fancy weaves in medium weight in a combination of wool and silk is certain to be useful and may be had in rose, rust, or green in combination with other shades. \$2.95.

## Ombre Graduated Stripes in a Jersey Weave Sweater \$2.95

In red, green, blue and tan with smart ombre stripes. \$2.95.

## Heavy Shaker Sweaters \$9.75 and \$12

Very heavy skating sweaters for the outdoor girl. In scarlet. \$9.75 and \$12.

—Second Floor—

## In The Beauty Shop Special for Thursday Only Shampoo and Marcel \$1 for the two

Call at once for your appointment

—Fourth Floor—

## December Reductions on Fine Coats

\$175 Coat Reduced to \$135 —In putty shade, blue fox collar.  
\$165 Coat Reduced to \$125 —Tan trimmed with badger.  
\$145 Coat Reduced to \$115 —Black with Fischer stitch.  
\$125 Coat Reduced to \$ 98.50—Brown with Beaver.  
\$125 Coat Reduced to \$ 98.50—Napoleon blue with gray lynx.  
\$115 Coat Reduced to \$ 95 —Black with Kit fox.  
\$115 Coat Reduced to \$ 95 —Blue with natural lynx.

\$110 Coats Reduced to \$90—Black with tan wolf; Napoleon blue with beaver.

\$95 Coats Reduced to \$79.50—Tan, blue, and black trimmed with kit fox, black marten, caracul, beaver, wolf.

\$89.50 Coats Reduced to \$69.50—Black with caracul; Napoleon blue with gray squirrel.

\$79.50 Coats Reduced to \$65—Brown, blue, black or tan with wolf, ringtail opossum, kit fox and marten.

\$59.50 Coats Reduced to \$49.50—In a variety of beautiful fabrics and furs.

\$39.50 Coats Reduced to \$29.50 — Black or tan with Vicuna fox or Mendoza beaver.

## Deep Reductions in this Group

\$145 Coats for \$65      \$115 Coats . \$39.50  
\$135 Coats for \$55      \$95 Coats for \$39.50  
Coats formerly \$21.65 to \$59.65  
at ..... \$5 to \$15

—Second Floor—

## Lovely Gifts for the Toilet Table

A perfectly appointed toilet table is a joy to any feminine heart, so a gift of fine toiletries cannot be otherwise than pleasing.

## Toilet Waters

Capri toilet water at \$1.50 a bottle. April Showers is as refreshing as its name. \$2. Biarritz and Blue Rose are \$2. and Narsisse de Chine is \$1.50. The fine Yardley Old English Lavender is 75c to \$1.75.

## Perfumes in Bulk

Mimzy, a delightful new fragrance, is a \$1 a dram. Quelques Fleurs is a general favorite and is \$4 and ounce. April Showers may be had at \$2.50 and Blue Rose and Jade at \$2 an ounce.

## Dainty Bath Salts

Houbigant's "Ideal" and Quelques Fleurs at \$1.50 a bottle. There are four delightful fragrances at \$1 each —Biarritz, Blue Rose, Djer Kiss and Hudnuts.

## Face and Body Powders

Coty's at \$1.50 and Armand's and Three Flowers at \$1. Blue Rose is \$1.50 to \$3.50 a box and Kares is \$2.50 and \$3.50. In body powders there are April Showers at \$1.25, and Norida, Ideal and Quelques Fleurs at \$1.50.

—First Floor—



## Rhinestone Trimmings for Holiday Frocks

If you are planning a new frock for evening or a smart afternoon dress, you will find just the brilliant touch it needs in the new rhinestone trimmings. There is a wide variety of both simple and elaborate designs.

## Slides and Ornaments \$1.25 to \$8.45 each

Exquisite flexible floral ornaments in rhinestones are \$1.25 to \$4.75 each. Headbands are 90c to \$8.45 each, and are lovely for evening wear.

## Belt Buckles and Slides 25c to \$3

Belt buckles and slides for every type of frock are priced at 25c to \$3 each. Buttons in flat, half ball and full ball shapes are 20c to \$5c each. There is a good range of sizes.

—First Floor—



## Boys' Blazers \$3.85

A Christmas gift that you will use every day of the winter, thoroughly enjoy. Made of the wool mackinaw cloth in dark shades. Sizes 8 to 18. \$3.85.

## Boys' Want the Convenient Spur Ties 50c

Boys like spur ties because they are so easy to put on. Spur ties are the patented H. M. Co. design that keeps them secure. All boys who are only 10 years old should have a pair. \$50c.

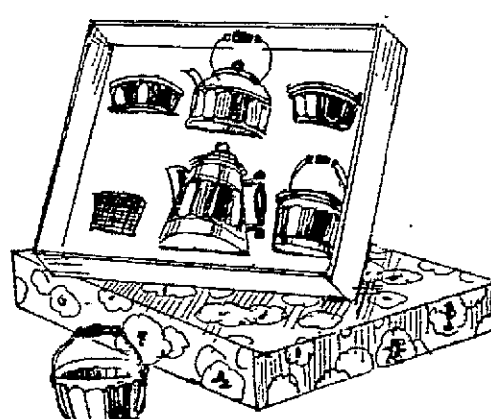
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## Thrilling Scenes for Little Folks in Christmas City

A fairy city for children, with everything in it that they could ever think of wishing for. Whole farmyards with fences and all the domestic animals, fierce wild beasts and comfortable cats and dogs and rabbits, exciting trains that fly around the tracks and through tunnels and snowsheds, dolls enough for the most enterprising little mother and the infinite paraphernalia for doll housekeeping. Be sure to come in soon.

## Everything Amusing in Parker Games 15c to \$3

All the familiar well-loved games and many new ones including baseball, auto race, tiddley winks, table tennis, Komical Kutouts, box ball, Putt, the indoor golf game, egg rolling, Pitt, Rook and others at 15c and up.



## Aluminum Dishes and Toy Utensils 29c to \$3.75

Baking sets with baking board, rolling pin, mixing bowl, egg beater, baking dishes and flour sifter are needed for toy housekeeping. Tea sets with service for six. Separate pans and kettles. 29c to \$3.75.

## Reed Fibre Cabs for Doll Babies \$3.95 to \$13.50

In blue, tan and two-tone color effects. With wire or wooden wheels and rubber tired. Generous size at \$3.95 to \$13.50 each. An appropriate cab for the finest baby doll.

## Educational Picture Puzzles—25c to \$2

Picture puzzles which afford children much chance to use their ingenuity and teach them interesting facts at the same time. They cover steamships, engines, Fairyland, United States maps, historic subjects and others. 25c to \$2.

## Steiff Animal Toys Lifelike and Sturdy 98c to \$16.50

The finest of the animal toys. They include Molly dogs, teddy bears, fox terriers, monkeys, lions, and almost everything else that one could possibly think of. There are funny clown teddies, too, with peaked hats and ruffs at the neck, 98c to \$16.50.

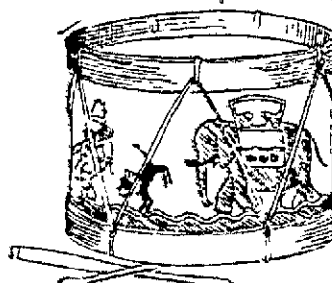


## Bonny Babe Dolls \$2.98 to \$10

Just like the picture at the left. They have either dresses or rompers. Elastic head, voice, composition legs and arms. Very appealing and very babyish. Faces have a particularly happy expression. \$2.98 to \$10.

## Drums and Other Noise Makers

Drums in every size, some very simple and some gaily decorated. At a variety of prices from 59c to \$1.95. Saxophones and clarinettes are 79c to \$1.95. Musical toys at 29c up.



## Gleaming Ornaments for Christmas Trees 5c to 25c

All the gay colored balls and fancy decorations that make the tree lovely at 5c and up.



## Inexpensive Little Toys

Roly Polys at 50c and up. Small bisque dolls at 10c to 98c. Pull toys at 50c to \$1.98.

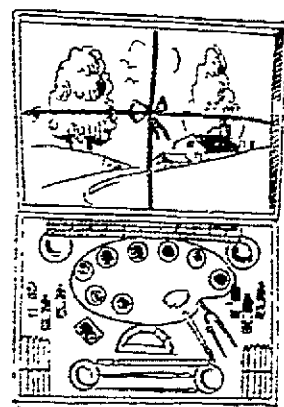
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## Colored Rubber Balls 29c to \$1.75

For the baby and the younger children rubber balls are satisfactory gifts, for the gay colors attract them and the constant movement keeps them amused. 29c to \$1.75.

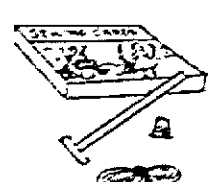
## Painting Sets 10c to 50c

Painting books for the use of paints, crayons and for tracing. There are several interesting kinds at 10c to 50c each. Part book, poster, picture at various prices.



## Books—All the Stories Children Like to Read 5c to \$1

Nursery rhymes, characters in book form, Mother Goose books and a splendid selection of the stories that are always wanted by children up to the age of eight or nine. 5c and up.



## Sewing Cards and Other Interesting Play 25c to \$1

Interesting occupation for busy little hands and brains. Sewing cards, picture weaving, stencils, cut-outs and others at 25c up.

## Newer Lines that Slenderize

Curving diagonally from the shoulder downward two clever tucks give this frock a new line that is both smart and slenderizing. The pattern may be found at our Butterick department in sizes 32-44; and suitable fabrics are displayed at our piece goods department. In light weight wools this frock is very effective.

—First Floor—

## Artificial Christmas Trees 50c to \$2.95

Beautifully shaped trees in many sizes offer a delightful Christmas decoration at 50c to \$2.95. Provided with standards.

## Colored Electric Light Outfits for the Tree \$1.75

Complete electric lighting equipment including colored lights for the tree. \$1.75.

—Downstairs—